

The Evening Times-Star

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The Maritimes Now— All Together!

The Weather Cloudy; Unsettled

ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1925

TWELVE PAGES—ONE CENT

OFF TODAY WITH MARITIME DEMANDS

R. A. MACAULAY TO PRESENT CASE FOR NEW BRUNSWICK

General Manager of Manufacturers' Association Also Will Assist in Presenting Maritimes' Situation

HON. G. H. MURRAY TO SPEAK FOR N. S.

Special C. P. R. Train Will Not Carry All St. John Delegation and Some Will Proceed to Ottawa on Regular—New Brunswick Senators Express Accord With Movement.

NEW BRUNSWICK'S part in the plea of the Maritime Provinces for an all-Canadian transportation policy will be presented to the Federal Government and members of the Senate and House of Commons at Ottawa tomorrow, by R. A. Macaulay of St. John.

Announcement of Mr. Macaulay's selection as official spokesman of the New Brunswick delegation was made this morning by the committee in charge of the arrangements for the mission to Ottawa.

Mr. Macaulay will officially present the New Brunswick phase of the all-Canadian transportation policy, but it is expected that one or two other members of the delegation also will speak on behalf of this province when the interview with Government and Parliament takes place at the Federal Capital.

Support Spreads. Support of the Maritime movement continues to spread throughout Canada. On the eve of the departure of the mission to Ottawa comes word that J. E. Walsh, general manager of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, will be a member of the delegation that is to wait on the Cabinet and Parliament on Thursday.

L. W. Simms, president of the St. John Board of Trade, this morning sent word to the Board of Trade officers here that Mr. Walsh would leave Toronto today for the Federal Capital and will be prepared to endorse the representations of the All-Canadian mission.

From the Fort William, Ont., Board of Trade comes official announcement today that Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion, Minister of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment in the Melghen cabinet, will be the official representative of the board at tomorrow's gathering in Ottawa.

The Fort William Board of Trade has already, by resolution, endorsed the aims and objects of the Maritime movement.

Nova Scotia Champion. Hon. George H. Murray, former Premier of Nova Scotia, whose tenure of office for more than a quarter of a century set a record for continuous parliamentary service, that capacity that has never been equalled by a political leader in the British Empire, will be the official representative of that province at tomorrow's gathering in Ottawa.

Hon. E. H. Armstrong, Nova Scotia's Premier, announced the selection of Hon. Mr. Murray today.

The delegation will therefore include the outstanding political, as well as business, leaders of the three Maritime Provinces, Hon. P. J. Veniot, Premier of New Brunswick, being absent from the Federal Capital, while Hon. J. D. Stewart, Premier of Prince Edward Island, will reach Ottawa tonight.

Special Train Taxed. When the C. P. R. special train, carrying the St. John delegates pulls out of Union Depot, at 3:30 p.m. today, after the accommodation of the six Pullman and two compartment cars will be taken up by the special.

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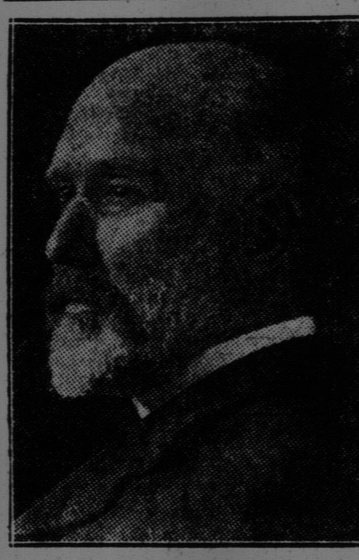
Queens County Interest. E. S. Brodie, secretary-treasurer of Queens county, in a letter to the St. John Board of Trade states it is impossible for that municipality to send a representative with the delegation. The council is in hearty accord with the objects of the delegation.

Telegrams of support for the move have been received from Senator F. B. Black, Sackville, who said he would be in Ottawa if possible, with the delegation; Senator I. R. Todd, who said he was in accord with the movement and account of illness would not be able to accompany them and from Senator O. Turgeon, pledging his support.

New Party In Ontario House As Two Farmers Bolt Progressives

LIQUOR FROM N. B. SEIZED IN QUEBEC

Urges Industry



SIR JOSEPH FLAVELLE.

Prominent Toronto banker, last night exhorted Canadians to stop scolding and get on with the day's work.

STOP WHINING, BUT WORK, IS HIS ADVICE

Sir J. Flavelle at Bankers' Association Dinner Declares War Debt Must be Met.

HAMILTON, Ont., Feb. 25.—To urge that the rates of duty in the British preferential tariff of Canada shall apply only on goods imported direct by vessel to sea or river ports of Canada, will be the objective of a deputation of Canadian woolen and knit goods manufacturers which will wait on the government at Ottawa on Thursday.

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Quebec Sends Four. QUEBEC, Feb. 25.—The attitude of the board of trade in the matter of preferential tariffs, will be defined at the next general meeting, on March 12. It is also announced that Quebec will have four representatives in the delegation that is going to Ottawa.

CATHOLIC PASTOR AT SHEDIAC DEAD. Bishop LeBlanc Receives Word of Passing of Rev. D. J. LeBlanc.

Bishop E. A. LeBlanc has received word of the death of Rev. Donat J. LeBlanc, which occurred late yesterday afternoon in Shediac. He was born in Beroules, in 1870 and started a preparatory course of studies at Sorel, Quebec, for the priesthood.

DESERT TO REBELS. Turkish Soldiers Leaving Army and Joining Sheik Said's Forces.

LONDON, Feb. 25.—Turkish soldiers are deserting to the forces of the rebel Sheik Said, according to a Central News despatch from Constantinople. The rebel forces now number 8,000. The Turkish Government has issued a proclamation blaming Greek propaganda for the rebellion in Turkey.

Labor Party Talks Over Differences. LONDON, Feb. 25.—Differences in the labor party which were revealed by the speeches of several leaders concerning the recent attack of David Kirkwood of Dumbarton on the proposed trip of the Prince of Wales were discussed yesterday by the Parliamentary Labor Party. The executive was instructed to consider and report upon party discipline and unity and the attitude of the London press.

P. E. I. Fisheries For Year Show Decrease. OTTAWA, Feb. 25.—The total marketed value of the product of the fisheries of Prince Edward Island in 1924 was \$1,202,772, says the Bureau of Statistics. This is a decrease from the preceding year of \$553,208, due chiefly to the smaller lobster catch.

King George Continues To Show Improvement. LONDON, Feb. 25.—The improvement in King George's condition continued during the night, it was learned today.

Man, Missing Since Jan. 29, Believed Rum Ship Prisoner. NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The bureau of missing persons reported yesterday that they had come into possession of evidence that Benjamin Levy of Brooklyn, who has been missing since January 29, is a prisoner on a rum ship, lying off the New Jersey coast.

50 GALLONS OF WHISKEY SEIZED BY OFFICERS

Came By Train From Edmundston To Quebec

EXPECT ARRESTS

Liquor Commission Police Had Been Warned Shipment Was to Be Made

QUEBEC, Que., Feb. 25.—A number of cases containing 50 gallons of whiskey were seized here last night by officers of the Quebec Liquor Commission. The cases came to Quebec on board the train from Edmundston, N. B.

Was Expected. Eight days ago the Liquor Commission police were notified that an attempt would be made to bring contraband liquor into the city of Quebec from New Brunswick. A watch was set on all trains from the maritimes, and last night a search of the baggage car of the Edmundston train discovered the whiskey in cases supposed to contain tobacco addressed to Quebecers, whose place of residence is not yet known. The Liquor Commission officers are investigating and expect to make arrests shortly.

JAMES STENHOUSE DIES AT MONCTON. Had Been Actively Connected With Sugar Refinery Industry For Years.

MONCTON, N. B., Feb. 25.—James Stenhouse, a well-known and highly respected citizen, died at his home, 71 Union street, this morning. He was taken ill about a week ago with influenza and complications set in, from which he failed to recover.

IN STATE OF SIEGE. Insurrection in Kurdistan Causes Drastic Action by Angora Government.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 25.—A state of siege for one month throughout Turkish Kurdistan was proclaimed yesterday by the National Assembly at Angora. An insurrection in that territory, said to be headed by the Kurdish irregular chieftain Sheik Said, is reported to have spread into open rebellion against the Angora government.

DEVELOPS 37 KNOTS. Britain's New £820,000 Submarine is Most Powerful Ever Constructed.

LONDON, Feb. 25.—Built at a cost of £820,000, Britain's giant submarine X-1 will shortly conclude her trials and probably start on a tour to Singapore and back. She is declared to be the most powerful undersea craft ever built, and has developed a speed of 37 knots on the surface. Under water she has a displacement of 3,000 tons, and can be turned almost in her own length of 380 feet. She is equipped with a large canteen, from which breakfast, luncheon, tea or dinner can be served while running under water.

CHURCH UNION VOTE. Ballot on Amalgamation Now Stands 1,362 For and 470 Against.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 25.—The following is the latest summary of the church union vote: British Columbia and Yukon territory, for 190, against 22; Alberta, for 100, against 22; Saskatchewan, for 448, against 12; Ontario, for 425, against 340; Quebec, for 70, against 81; Nova Scotia, for 90, against 32; Prince Edward Island, for 38, against 11. Totals, for 1,362, against 470.

Gloria Swanson Is Much Improved Today. PARIS, Feb. 25.—Announcement of a decided improvement in the condition of Gloria Swanson, was made at a late hour, last night. Her temperature had fallen, and was only a shade above normal.

EBERT IMPROVES. BERLIN, Feb. 25.—An official bulletin issued at 10:30 o'clock this morning announces that President Ebert's progressing normally following his operation early yesterday for appendicitis.

Dr. Pugsley Is Reported Much Better Today

TORONTO, Feb. 25.—The condition of Hon. Wm. Pugsley, who is ill with pneumonia, is reported as "satisfactory," today. "With no unforeseen developments, we anticipate a continued improvement," his physicians stated.

SECURITY PARLEY IN BRUSSELS SOON

Inter-Allied Conference Likely to Open March 18 or 23, is Word.

LONDON, Feb. 25.—The inter-allied conference for the discussion of European security and the evacuation of Cologne probably will open at Brussels March 18 or March 23, it is reported, which are now proceeding quite smoothly.

DECLARE KILLER OF SISTER RATIONAL

Woman Who Slew Suffering Relative is Not Afraid of Death.

PARIS, Feb. 25.—"I killed her because I wanted to open the gates of Heaven to her," said Anna Levasseur, who shot her sister, Anais, to death on Feb. 16, charged with murder yesterday.

The woman explained that her sister was suffering from tuberculosis, and that she shot her to relieve her suffering. "I am a firm believer in the hereafter," declared Anna Levasseur. "I have no fear of going to the great beyond to meet my sister."

Physicians who have examined the Levasseur woman say she is rational.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 25.—The Kurdish insurgents were reported here today to have captured the city of Charput in Eastern Asia Minor, 60 miles northwest of Diarbekr.

OFFICERS ARE HELD

200 Gallons of Liquor Seized in Quarters on United States Transport.

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 25.—More than 200 gallons of liquor were seized from the officers' quarters of the United States transport Beaufort when it arrived here from the West Indies yesterday. All of the officers of the ship are being held, facing court-martial on charges of violation of the Volstead Act, smuggling, and attempt to smuggle, as well as violation of navy regulations.

Iowa Woman Turns to Stone

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Mary McCormick of Chariton, Iowa, is dead, in the University Hospital at Iowa City of one of the rarest diseases known to medical science.

Just after entering an hospital, Mrs. McCormick began to turn to stone. Two weeks ago her jaws set and she was only able to open them a fraction of an inch. It was impossible to give her food, and she gradually starved to death.

These Provinces Are In Canada--Still

THESE delegates who leave for Ottawa today, and those who left from some Eastern points yesterday, are persistent residents of the Maritime Provinces.

That is to say, they do not live in Portland, Maine, or in Buffalo, New York.

When we say persistent residents, we mean that "in spite of all temptations to belong to other nations," they have remained in this portion of the country, notwithstanding the fact that it has not been dowered with half the blessings which were to flow from Confederation.

In staying here, in not being diverted to alien soil for alien profit, they have not followed the example of much of Canada's wheat and a great deal of its other traffic, which today goes in increasing quantities to build up foreign transportation agencies.

These delegates from the Maritimes are, like their forefathers, people of rugged character, resourceful and self-reliant, but, while they are patient and even long-suffering, they live up to their bargains, and, because they do so, they are in the habit of insisting that the party of the other part shall do likewise.

Today, with the support of a widespread sentiment in other provinces, these Maritime delegates are asking why Canadian railroads and Canadian railroad policies should be employed, or should be permitted, to enrich foreign interests at the expense of those at home, at the expense of the ports, at the expense of the railroads themselves, at the expense of Canadian labor, at the expense of Canadian contentment and prosperity.

These delegates are asking why, after we have paid our share of the billion or more spent on Canadian canals and railways, Canada has not kept its share of the transportation bargain.

They are asking what Parliament meant when it enacted the specific provision that the Grand Trunk Pacific and the National Transcontinental should haul traffic to Canadian ports.

They are asking why the Canadian Northern, now a part of the C. N. R., as the Grand Trunk Pacific and the National Transcontinental are, is not living up to its agreement to keep its traffic in Canadian channels, as it was legally bound to do when its promoters received \$40,000,000 of the people's money.

When the Parliament of this country finally took over these great railways, it assumed all of their obligations with respect to the routing of traffic, all of their obligations to the people of Canada in this respect, all of their obligations to be and to remain agencies of Canadian progress, rather than levers and agencies of foreign profit.

EVERY Maritime delegate who is on his way to Ottawa represents many thousands of Eastern people who see that national transportation must be sharply amended if it is to serve not only these provinces by the sea, but every province in Canada, as it was the intention that they should be served when the national treasury was unlocked and hundreds of millions were poured into railroad extension.

The people in the Central Provinces, men in the House of Commons, men in the West, are asking today if there is a successful movement in the Maritime Provinces.

If there is no such organized movement, the very truth is that it is a wonder there is none, and a further truth is—Parliament should know it, as every delegate knows it—that unless the people in the Maritimes see early proof that they are to get dividends from Confederation on a par with the dividends secured by other Provinces which have grown more rapidly in population, in wealth and in opportunity, they will be driven to consider whether some other course than Dominion partnership is not more profitable but a matter of necessity. And should the people of these Provinces be driven to any such conclusion by the further disappointment of events, it is not to be ignored that such a movement might kindle suddenly and tend to become headlong.

The delegates know this. They know that robust and straightforward action by Parliament to amend national transportation conditions, to give Maritime ports the equipment, the traffic, the profitable activity which is their due, would not only restore confidence in Confederation, but would stimulate and expand national prosperity. In its very essence the all-Canadian transportation policy is national, and the benefit which would flow to the Maritimes from it, however great, would be incidental.

THESE delegates, who now go to speak face to face with their representatives at Ottawa, are going with confidence in the justice of their cause, convinced as to its national character, and sure in their knowledge that they are backed by a great wave of sentiment which is sweeping over all Canada.

They feel prepared, therefore, to speak not only plainly, but boldly, as befits men from a portion of Canada that has ever been outstanding in British sentiment, that has stood firmly by British ideals, that has never asked for charity, but that is determined to have its full share of the material good for which it has so long paid in money, in labor and in loyalty.

THE time to iron out the inequalities which hamper Confederation is now. Today it can be done, and to the national benefit. Later—who knows?

LEGISLATURE NOW IS MADE UP OF FIVE GROUPS

Leslie Oke Declares Drury Tried to Wreck Farmers

DOHERTY SPEAKS

In Throne Speech Debate Declares Opposition to Stronger Beer

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 25.—The breaking away of two members from the Progressives in the Ontario Legislature yesterday, added another to its numerous groups.

Leslie Oke, East Lambton, in speaking in the debate on the reply to the Speech from the Throne, announced that he and Beniah Bowman, Mantoulin, were continuing to be United Farmer members with no connection with the Progressive party under the leadership of W. E. Raney. The House is now composed of Conservatives, Liberals, Progressives, Labor men and United Farmers.

Drury Attacked. Mr. Oke delivered a scathing attack on E. C. Drury, former premier, charging him with wrecking or trying to wreck the farmers' movement in Ontario for his own glorification. He named in his attack W. E. Raney and Manning Doherty, both ministers in the Drury cabinet.

Previous to Mr. Oke's speech, debate was carried along by J. A. Sangster, Liberal, Gleggarry, and Manning Doherty, Progressive, East Kent. Messrs. Oke and Doherty opposed the proposal to increase the strength of the Legislature from 40 to 45 members.

Manning Doherty Speaks. Mr. Doherty condemned the present administration for not carrying out the plan he had started as Minister of Agriculture, for the establishment of farm commodity associations.

UNEMPLOYMENT AID ASKED FOR ONTARIO

Federal Minister Holds Out Little Hope For Ottawa Assistance, However.

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 25.—A deputation urging relief by the federal government for the unemployed in western Ontario municipalities waited upon Hon. James Murdock, Minister of Labor, last evening.

The Minister of Labor informed the delegation that he could not hold out any hope of success towards having the Dominion government grant assistance. The attitude has already been taken that the matter was one for the province and municipalities although he would, however, place the matter again before the government.

KELOGG RETURNS. NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Frank B. Kellogg, retiring ambassador to Great Britain, who becomes Secretary of State on March 4, returned on the Berengaria, late yesterday.

The Weather

SYNOPSIS—A moderate depression which was over the Northwest states yesterday is moving eastward across the Lake region, while pressure is high over the western provinces, and Newfoundland.

The weather has been partly cloudy and mild from Ontario eastward, with light snow in the west.

Table with columns: Location, 8 a.m. Yesterday, Highest during, Lowest during. Includes Victoria, Calgary, Edmonton, Winnipeg, Toronto, Montreal, St. John, Halifax, New York.



ST. JOHN MEN IN MAIL CAR FIRE; RETURN HOME

Large Amount of Mail for Here Damaged in Blaze in Quebec

A mail car was damaged last evening at St. John's, P. Q., while en route here from Montreal. It arrived this afternoon with Edmond P. Barry and Arthur Melick in charge. The car was badly gutted in the mail section, but the other half of the car used for baggage, was not damaged, as a partition separated them. Several of the car windows were broken and the roof slightly burned outside, but on the inside almost the entire half of the car was charred. It will take about \$500 to repair the car as the estimate made this afternoon by J. M. Woodman, superintendent of P. N. New Brunswick District.

Out of 150 bags of parcel post and newspaper matter at least 75 were damaged either by fire or water. A few bags of letters and some registered mail were almost completely destroyed. The mail for Fredericton Junction and McAdam was delivered en route by the clerks as it was found to be in fairly good condition.

Mr. Barry said that they were at St. John's when suddenly they noticed the flames behind them. He was at a loss to account for the origin of the blaze.

The damaged mail will be sorted at the local post office.

Local News

FOUR FINED. Four drunks appeared in the police court this morning and were fined \$8 or two months in jail.

FOUND A KEY. A key was found by Policeman McNeill yesterday at the corner of Union and Coburg streets.

TO LEAVE ON FRIDAY. H. K. Hartley, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, expects to leave on Friday for Winnipeg where he will take over his new duties as inspector of the Manitoba branches.

HAD DEPARTED. Last night about 10:20 o'clock Police Sergeant Scott and Policeman Murphy went to a house in St. Patrick street, in response to a call that a man was creating a disturbance there. The man had disappeared when the police arrived.

FIRE AT RIVERSIDE. A house at Riverside, belonging to R. S. Ritchie and tenanted by A. Boswell, was burned down last evening despite strenuous efforts on the part of volunteers to save it. Mr. Boswell managed to save the most of his furniture.

DIED TODAY. The death of Frances A. youngest daughter of Mrs. Mary and the late William DeCourcy, occurred at the family home, 32 Paddock street, this morning. Besides her mother she is survived by two sisters, Elizabeth and Theresa, of this city, and six brothers, Edward, John, Fred, Bernard and William, in the United States, and George, of Sydney, N. S.

J. BURPEE JONES DEAD. The death of J. Burpee Jones occurred suddenly last evening at his home, 5 Frederic street. He had been engaged in the express business in St. John for many years and was well known and highly respected. He is survived by his wife, one son, Harold, one daughter, Beatrice, all at home; three brothers, Henry, of St. John; Charles, of Boston; and Melbourne, of California; and one sister, Mrs. John Foster, of Shannon, Queens county. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon.

Come in and see our new high-class bakery—118 Charlotte St., opposite Admiral Beatty. 11568-2-28

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents.

BIRTHS. COCHRANE—To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cochrane, 1 Lawrence street, last evening, Feb. 24, 1925, a son (John David).

DEATHS. DECOURCY—In this city, on Feb. 25, 1925, Frances A., youngest daughter of Mary and the late William DeCourcy, of Sussex, N. B., leaving her mother, two sisters and six brothers to mourn.

NOTICES OF FUNERAL. TURNER—In this city, on Feb. 25, 1925, after a lingering illness, Wilbert J. Turner, aged 76 years and 10 months, leaving, besides his wife, two daughters, one adopted son and four grandchildren to mourn. Funeral service at 127 Broadview Ave. at 2:30 Friday. Interment at Cedar Hill cemetery.

JONES—Suddenly, at his residence, 5 Frederic street, on Feb. 24, 1925, J. Burpee Jones, leaving a loving wife, one son, one daughter, three brothers and one sister to mourn. Funeral on Friday from his late residence. Service at 2:30 o'clock.

MORTUARY—On Feb. 24, 1925, Mary Loretta (Blossom), infant child of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. McBeath.

HOLT—At 52 Prospect street, Fairville, on Monday, Feb. 23, 1925, Mary E. Hoyt, widow of J. Adolphus Hoyt and daughter of the late John and Mary C. Cooley.

FUNERAL—Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Church of the Good Shepherd, Fairville, residence, 80 Harrison street, on Feb. 23, 1925, after a long illness, Grace, beloved wife of John Philie, and daughter of James and the late Mary Rogan, leaving her husband, father, two brothers and one sister to mourn.

FUNERAL—Thursday morning at 8:45 from her late residence to St. Peter's church for interment. Requiem high mass at 9.

PETRIE—In this city on Feb. 25, 1925, Maynard, five-month old child of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Petrie, 103 Queen street. Funeral notice later.

St. John Delegates To The Ottawa Meeting

Mayor F. L. Potts, Commissioners R. W. Wigmore, J. H. Frink, T. H. Bullock, W. L. Harding, representing Common Council of the City of St. John, along with Councilors O'Brien, Golding, Campbell, O'Donnell, Corscadden, McLeod, Mosher, Simpson and Dalzell, representing the Municipal Council of the City and County of St. John; W. S. Allison and T. E. G. Armstrong, Manchester Robertson and Allison; H. Mont Jones; G. L. Warwick, O. H. Warwick Co.; W. G. Estabrook, J. F. Estabrook and Sons; E. L. Rising, Waterbury and Rhine; M. A. Pooler, New Brunswick Power Co.; H. P. Robinson, O. J. Fraser, New Brunswick Telephone Co.; D. McKenna, A. J. West, New Brunswick Publishing Co. Ltd.; E. J. Terry, James Robertson Co. Ltd.; J. G. Harrison, S. E. Fisher, W. H. Bourne and Co. Ltd.; E. H. Turnbull, F. S. Smyth, Baird and Peters; William Vassie, Vassie and Co.; W. E. A. R. Williams Machinery Co.; H. L. Marcus, J. Marcus, Ltd.; W. K. Haley, Haley Bros.; L. W. Simms, T. S. Simms and Co. Ltd.; H. Mayes, J. F. Brittain, Colwell Fuel Co.; J. Gordon Lively, Jos. A. Lively, Ltd.; W. E. Raymond, Royal Hotel; J. L. O'Brien, Ready's Breweries; G. B. Oland, Oland's Breweries; C. F. Sanford, Barnhill, Sanford and Harrison; R. C. Elkin, R. C. Elkin, Ltd.; J. L. McAvity, Knowledge and Gilchrist; John J. Wood, Simonds Canada Saw Company; C. H. Townshend, C. H. Townshend Piano Co. Ltd.; F. J. Donegan, Pacific Dairies; E. L. Jarvis, C. E. L. Jarvis and Sons; L. B. Estey, Estey and Co.; W. J. Hill, Canadian Fairbanks Morse Co.; C. P. Grannan, Phillip Grannan, J. C. McMillan, J. C. and A. McMillan; B. R. Armstrong, Armstrong-Bruce; M. F. Leighton, Goodwin and Co.; G. S. Bishop, McClary and Co.; W. L. B. Peterson, Peterson Printing Co.; Frank P. Lewis, William Lewis and Son; Thomas Totten, A. Chipman Smith, James Neill, Kaufman Rubber Co.; W. A. Roberts, George McKean Co.; L. T. Gard, W. Tremaine Gard and Son; J. N. Flood, John Flood and Son; C. F. Inch, Inch, Wrayman and Hazen; R. F. Brewster, Progressive Store; H. A. Marvin, Maritime Coal Service Co.; Louis Boyaner, Boyaner Bros.; A. L. Stern, Purdy Ice Cream Co.; L. P. D. Tilley; James A. Kelly; M. E. Grass; O. J. A. Barter; Warren B. Purdy; Meyer Cohen; G. O. D. Oisy; H. Horton; H. Horton and Sons; Allan Gundry; George Murray; John Seely; Fred deForest; J. W. Brittain; W. E. Anderson; F. E. Rice; N. C. Scott; George Murphy; Allan McAvity; G. B. Taylor; Oliver Wood; Charles H. McDonald; R. F. Wright; DeWitt Cairns; F. J. Armstrong; J. B. Jones; J. F. G. Spencer; Horace C. Brown; Jarvis G. Purdy; D. J. Purdy Company; G. C. McAvity, P. D. McAvity, T. McAvity and Sons; George E. Polley, VanWart Bros.; D. W. Ledingham, Furness-Withy Company; F. J. Brennan, Eastern Securities Co.; H. W. Emerson, Emerson and Fisher; G. E. Barber, G. E. Barber Co. Ltd.; R. D. Paterson, Wilson, Paterson and Gifford; C. A. Christie, Christie Woodworking Co. Ltd.; John E. Hopkins, Hopkins Press, Ltd.; T. H. Estabrook, W. R. Miles, T. H. Estabrook Co.; F. A. Dykeman, F. A. Dykeman and Co.; E. F. Powers, E. F. Powers

2 NEW COMPANIES

James Russell Lumber Co., Ltd., and Wright Radio, Ltd., Are Incorporated.

Special to The Times-Star. FREDERICTON, N. B., Feb. 25.—James Russell Lumber Company, Limited, is incorporated, with head office at Russellville, Northumberland county, and capital stock of \$24,000. Those incorporated are Mrs. Mary B. Russell, J. Douglas Russell, Neil D. Russell, Miss M. Gertrude Russell and Miss Frances H. Russell, all of Russellville. F. Gordon Wright, J. Russell Dickie and Neil McLeod, all of Moncton, are incorporated as Wright Radio, Limited, with head office at Moncton, and capital stock of \$49,000, for the purpose of acquiring and taking over the business of F. Gordon Wright and J. Russell Dickie, at Moncton.

HAS CLASS HERE

Wife of Noted Author is Spending Week in St. John.

Mrs. Charles Harrison Gibbons, wife of a noted Canadian writer and author, is at the Clifton House, while carrying on a class of form-fitting. Mrs. Gibbons teaches the proper methods of fitting corsets and brassieres to women who conduct this department for several firms in St. John, and will later go to other cities in the maritime provinces for the same purpose. It is the objective of Mrs. Gibbons to study the health of the women of the country in providing for them garments in this and other lines that will be suited to their particular style and make for health as well as good form. The women taking the lessons are given diplomas at the end of the course.

Where the tasty things come from—The New Bakery, 118 Charlotte St., opposite Admiral Beatty. 11568-2-28

\$1.00 PHONOGRAPH SALE WILL END SATURDAY NIGHT

ONLY THREE MORE DAYS LEFT

This is positively your last chance to secure one of these famous Concert Phonographs on such liberal terms of only \$1.00 down.

These magnificent Phonographs will play all records and you can hear all the latest songs and dance music any time, and the whole family and friends can enjoy it at the same time.

Come in and hear them. Join the Club Plan Tomorrow.

1—\$1.00 down and any of the seven models will be delivered to your home. 2—No collectors going to your door, extra fees or interest. 3—Balance in small monthly payments. By joining the club tomorrow you can have twelve records and pay for them in the regular club payments.

AMLAND BROS., Ltd. 19 WATERLOO STREET

The World needs the Man who'll soil his hands—but it likes him to clean them after. SNAP rolls out the dirt

Local News

LIKELY FINISH TODAY. The case of Albert vs. Storey et al was continued this morning in the Circuit Court before Chief Justice Barry. It was expected the matter would be completed this afternoon.

VESEL REPORTED. The signal service station at the Customs House reports that steamer Manchester Shipper to be 180 miles east by Sable Island early this morning.

SEVERELY INJURED. John Breen of Bryden street, an employe in the Nashwaak Pulp and Paper Mills, had his left leg broken and bruised by being caught in the machinery yesterday. At the hospital efforts are being made to save his leg.

IS SETTLED. An amicable settlement of the affairs of the family of Leo Diadie, a Russian, against whom a complaint of assault was laid yesterday by his wife, was made in the police court this morning when the charge was read to the defendant. D. King Hazen appeared for Diadie.

MILITARY DINNER. The annual dinner of the New Brunswick Rangers will be held in Moncton on Friday night. Lt.-Col. H. C. Sparling, D. S. O., A. A. and Q. M. G. of M. D. No. 7, will attend. The officer commanding the Rangers is Lt.-Col. L. C. Carey, Sackville.

BACK TO SCHOOL. A juvenile appeared before Magistrate Henderson in the police court with wandering about early this morning. It appears the lad had some trouble with his school principal and had not gone home last night. He was taken back to school this morning by Sergeant Ralph Dykeman.

NEARLY 700 THERE. At St. Peter's weekly forty-five tournament, held last evening, 690 people participated. The prize-winners were: Ladies, Miss Nellie Dever; first, Mrs. Creamer, second, and Mrs. Leonard Shea, consolation; gentlemen, Roy Dennison, first; Percy Phillips, second, and Mrs. Essler, consolation.

HAS ALCOHOL CARGO. The schooner 'Elm Alone' cleared yesterday afternoon for Havana with more than 5,000 gallons of alcohol which was brought here in bond on the steamer Weland County some little time ago. It is the objective of the revenue agents from Lunenburg and is in charge of Captain Wynacht.

A FEBRUARY DAISY? There arrived at this office yesterday a modest daisy which was fresh and blooming and which apparently had only recently been severed from its stalk. An accompanying note states that the daisy was picked at Havenlock on Feb. 26, 1925. The package arrived at this office on Feb. 24, 1925, and was some discrepancy somewhere.

NO GUN. In a case in the City Police Court yesterday, in which a man was charged with stopping another at the head of King street and using abusive and threatening language, it was stated that all the defendant wanted was an explanation of something that was said concerning him, and that there was no gun in the case. The Magistrate dismissed the matter.

A HAPPY PARTY. Little Marjorie Bain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bain, 11 Sheriff street, was given a merry party on the occasion of her eighth birthday on Tuesday, from five to eight o'clock in the evening. The party was given by those who enjoyed the gaily bedecked cake, trimmed with red hearts and candles. It contained souvenirs for everybody. The little guest of honor received many pretty gifts from her friends, who played games to music.

HEARD ON RADIO. Bruce E. Holder, violinist of the Imperial Theatre orchestra, returned from Moncton today after having taken part in a concert programme produced from C.N.R. The accompanying note states that the J. A. Marvin Biscuit Co., Ltd. of that city. Mr. Holder played two numbers which were heard quite clearly in this city and which were acknowledged by telegrams from different parts of the United States, Canada and also by a cable received from Newfoundland. The St. John violinist was accompanied to Moncton by Eric Golding.

W. M. S. SERVICE. Rev. Clifford T. Clark, M. A., B. D., pastor of the Fairville Baptist Church, was the speaker at the annual thank-offering service of the W. M. S. of St. Colombe Presbyterian church, in the church hall, Fairville, last evening. Rev. William M. Townshend, M. A., presided. The offering for the service consisted of thanks, and Harper Henderson seconded. Miss A. M. Townshend, president of the W. M. S., voiced appreciation for Rev. Mr. Clark's generous help to their work. The collection was \$21.60.

SAY NOT GUILTY. Seven witnesses for the prosecution were examined at a preliminary hearing this morning in the police court before Magistrate Henderson on a charge against James Merritt and Mrs. Hazel Bond and at the request of counsel, adjournment was made until Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Both pleaded not guilty to the charge. The prosecution was presented, which was conducted by A. B. Gilbert, was finished. Scott E. Morrell appeared for Merritt and J. S. Ritchie for Mrs. Bond.

ARBITRATORS ON PROPERTY NAMED

Board Constituted This Afternoon to Value Vocational School Site.

The Board of Appraisers to fix the value of the land which the Board of School Trustees is expropriating for the site of the new vocational school was formally created this afternoon. The five men summoned by High Sheriff A. A. Wilson met at two o'clock at the court house and were sworn by the sheriff. After taking the oath they, in company with the sheriff, visited the proposed site and looked over the situation and adjourned to a time to be fixed later, at which they will begin the hearing and give any person interested an opportunity to give evidence as to the value of the lots.

Names Given. The Board of Arbitrators chosen by Sheriff Wilson is composed of F. E. Sayre, W. I. Fenton, L. A. Keith, J. M. Belyea and John Flood. They were sworn in at 2 o'clock and at once organized, appointing F. E. Sayre chairman and L. A. Keith, secretary.

LENT BEGINS. Today is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of the Lenten season. In Catholic churches placing ashes on the forehead of the people was observed. Prior to celebrating mass in the Cathedral this morning His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc blessed the ashes, which were distributed during the morning and will also be this evening after service. During 3 o'clock mass this morning Bishop LeBlanc spoke to the congregation exhorting them to attend the various devotional services and practice penance and mortification.

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BUSINESS LOCALS

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MEETING FOR WOMEN. The regular Thursday women's meeting, Prince Edward street church, from 8 to 4 p. m., will be addressed this week by the convention speakers of the Christian and Missionary Alliance. 11584-2-26

Tea and sale Thursday Feb. 27, by Wescott Club at Victoria St. Baptist church, 5:30 to 7:30. Tickets 35 cents. 11569-2-26

WILL SPEAK ON HANDICRAFTS. Miss Louise Wetmore will speak on handicrafts in the fourth lecture of the Ladies' Association Natural History Society lecture course, Thursday at 4 p. m. 11527-2-26

SLEEPING CAR SERVICE ST. JOHN-HALIFAX-TRURO. The sleeping car on train No. 20 between St. John and Halifax will, on and after Saturday, February 21, operate on Saturday train as well as on other week days. The car leaving St. John on Saturday evenings will run through as far as Truro only. 2-29

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The flannel for the first bands should be torn into strips six to eight inches wide and twenty inches long; they may be pinked on the edges, but not hemmed. They are used only four to six weeks, and then the silk and wool ribbed knit bands with shoulder straps and tabs onto which the diaper is pinned are to be substituted. The cumbersome pinning blankets or barrow-costs are no longer used.

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TO EXTEND TIME FOR EARNING OF FEDERAL AID

Two Years' More Assistance for Provincial Highways Promised at Ottawa

Premier Veniot at Head of Delegation

Graham Will Introduce Enabling Legislation at Present Session.

OTTAWA, Feb. 24.—A further extension of time of two years after 1926 when the present extension expires, will be given to the various provinces of the Dominion in which they may earn their share of federal aid under the Canada Highways Act, according to Hon. George P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, who assured an influential deputation from all the provinces of the Dominion in the Prime Minister's office today that he would soon introduce in the House of Commons a bill providing for such additional extension.

Veniot Heads Deputation.

Premier P. J. Veniot, of New Brunswick, president of the Canadian Good Roads Association, headed the deputation. Premier Veniot, after a brief introduction by Mr. Munro, told the Federal Government, which was represented by the Prime Minister, Hon. Mr. Graham and Hon. Dr. James H. King, that a moral responsibility attached to the Federal Government to finish the work begun in 1919.

"When federal legislation was passed that year," Premier Veniot said, "the provinces were led to believe that this was not for a definite period of five years, but it was introducing the principle of federal aid for highway construction, persuaded then that such a policy would assist immigration and colonization."

New Brunswick Programme.

"As for my own province of New Brunswick, it was asked to file plans of 19 different highway projects amounting to 1,684 miles. It was never thought that we could complete this programme in the five years. Our share of expenditure was \$1,266,000 and the Dominion's share \$1,700,000. Then in 1924 we were notified that federal aid would be discontinued. However, it has been extended to the end of the next fiscal year. Now, the provinces have assumed financial burdens in connection with highway construction that they would not have assumed had they known this aid would be cut off.

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Mr. Colbourne, a man of eighty years of age, after having taken Carnol, now feels like a man of thirty-five.

Vessel Crew Fined For Liquor Law Violation

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 24.—The captain and three members of the crew of the boat Elizabeth Wilson, sailing from a Canadian port, pleaded guilty in the Federal Court here today to liquor law violations and were fined a total of \$800.

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Hon. Dr. Beland's Bill Proposes \$100,000 For Veterans' Bureau.

OTTAWA, Feb. 24.—Hon. H. S. Beland, Minister of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, will bring down a bill in the House of Commons shortly to provide for the distribution of the canteen funds held by the Government.

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Victim's Relatives Cannot Be Found

CHARLOTTETOWN, Feb. 24.—No trace has been found here of any relatives or friends of Mary Estelle C. Doyle, who was killed in Notre Dame street, Friday night, in a street accident, and among whose effects were found letters referring to her father, Joseph Doyle, as living near Charlottetown.

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THE DELEGATION—A TURNING POINT.

The mission to Ottawa marks a turning point in the relations of the Maritime Provinces and the Dominion. Those relations are going to be better or worse, and soon.

The delegates speak to no one political party, but to all. They are not talking politics; they are talking Canada. They speak to Parliament, which represents all parties, all provinces, all interests.

The mission is, in fact, a challenge to the statesmanship of the Parliament of to-day. It is a call for action—bold and striking action becoming a great issue.

Canadian unity is at stake, for without a far greater measure of satisfaction and contentment in the Maritimes and in other parts of Canada, this Confederation cannot regard the past or the future with confidence.

The present issue far transcends any consideration of mere party politics; it is one demanding broad and concerted action by all parties for the good of the Dominion.

And this issue cannot be dealt with by timidity or evasion; it demands treatment that is at once responsive and resolute.

The Maritime Provinces should play a great part in the future of the Dominion. It is their earnest hope that they may do so. They are ready to row their weight in the boat, and something more. They respond quickly to good treatment. They have long been patient under treatment that has not been good.

We come now to a turn in the road. Presently we shall know—all the country will know—whether or not Parliament is awake to conditions which never should have existed, and how it proposes to deal with them.

MORE MOTOR SHIPS.

Great Britain still leads the world in ship construction, and last year it led in the building of motor ships. At the close of last year the British had 1,286,000 tons of shipping under construction, which was about 100,000 tons less than at the end of the year previous. To-day the amount of shipping under way is considerably less than it was even three months ago.

The British to-day are building one motor ship for every three steamships, while in other countries the percentage of motor craft is very much higher. The Germans at the end of the year had forty-seven motor ships of 27,000 tons building, and only forty steamships, aggregating 79,000 tons. In Holland, Sweden and Denmark, motor ship construction is considerably greater than that of steamships. In 1918 the chief nations of the world had under construction 8,447,000 tons, as compared with 2,470,000 at the end of 1924. Of this decline of 976,000 tons, the British yards were responsible for by far the greater portion, turning out 593,000 tons less against a loss of 388,000 for other countries.

The largest motor ship yet placed in commission was launched on December 31, 1924. She is British built, and is a first-class passenger liner, 600 feet long, with a displacement of 23,000 tons. She will carry 380 first-class passengers and about 600 others. Her crew alone will number 328. This ship is for the Canadian-Australian service of the Union Steamship Company of New Zealand.

The building of motor ships established a new record last year, the world tonnage in this type being 648,265, as compared with 355,925 in 1923. The British yards turned out more than fifty per cent. of the total, although, as has been noted, Britain to-day is building a great many more steamers than motor ships.

THE POSTAL SERVICE.

It is inferred by reviewers of the annual report of the postal service of Canada for the year ending March 31, 1924, that the present postage rate—really a war rate—cannot be cut at present without causing the department to show a considerable deficit.

Nevertheless, while the country has been complaining of depression, the postal business of Canada in 1924 reflected increased national activity. There was a marked increase over the year before, in the amount of mail matter transported, in the receipt of deposits, and in the transfer of money. The total revenue showed a slight decrease, the net being \$29,109,491, or \$182,740 less than in 1923. The expenditures increased by slightly more than half a million. The extra one cent on letters brought in \$8,573,000 during the year. Thus, while the

department reported a surplus of \$794,000, there would have been a deficit of some \$8,000,000 had the letter rate been reduced to the pre-war figure.

Canada has 12,879 post offices. New offices to the number of 295 were opened during the year and 213 were closed. The closing of these offices is distributed mainly to the expansion of rural mail delivery. The public was quick to take advantage of certain new features of the service. For example, 2,800,000 postal parcels were insured during the year, and the C. O. D. service carried some 50,000 articles a month.

Although Toronto is the second city in Canada in point of population, it ranks easily first in the matter of postal business. It had a postal revenue in 1923-1924 of \$6,464,000, while Montreal's record was only \$3,683,000. Winnipeg was next with \$2,985,000, and Vancouver fourth with \$1,107,000.

The postal savings bank largely increased its business during 1924. This service was established in 1896, and by 1909 the yearly deposits had climbed to \$10,000,000. There was a drop in 1923 to \$2,606,000. This decline was thought to be due to the many issues of government bonds paying from five to five and one-half per cent., compared with the three per cent. interest allowed by the post office.

There was also the competition of the chartered banks, which attracted heavy deposits of savings all over the country. Evidently the people are going back to the post office savings bank to a much greater extent than during the last few years.

There was a considerable increase in the money orders, the number issued being 12,561,000, representing \$159,855,000, an increase of \$16,800,000 over the previous year. A very high percentage of these were payable in Canada, only \$18,284,000 being payable abroad.

CANADA'S WHEAT OUTLOOK.

Speculation and doubt as to the price in the near future have somewhat confused the whole wheat situation, yet, looking ahead the fact emerges that Canada's wheat crop is bound hereafter to play a more important part than ever in the world's food supply. There is, in fact, every reason for believing that, in spite of the hardship encountered in the Prairie Provinces prior to this year because of low prices, there will be during the next few years a constantly expanding acreage, and, in the average year, a largely increased crop in the Canadian West.

It is noted by the Manitoba Free Press with considerable satisfaction that American farmers in considerable numbers are crossing into Canada to take up land, and the Free Press predicts a large and steady movement of settlers because they know that the land they can secure in Canada is cheaper and produces more bushels to the acreage than the American soil. The American Government is officially advising the American wheat farmers to curtail production and devote themselves to the supply of the home market, and if this advice be followed it will hasten the day when American wheat will cease to figure in the export market.

The world's wheat crop for 1924 was short of the 1923 yield by some 400,000,000 bushels. It is estimated that the increase in the world's population since 1913 has been 123,000,000. The average wheat crop of the world from 1909 to 1918, inclusive, was 3,748,000,000 bushels, while in 1924 it was only 3,800,000,000. Counting the increase in population and the decrease in the crop the wheat shortage this year is very marked, and the tendency toward greater production is clear. Predictions as to the future price of what may be idle, but the fact remains that the world's wheat supply at present is very considerably below the average yearly demand, the result being that the wheat farmer has in front of him an expanding market.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson, in the course of his admirable review and endorsement of the mission to Ottawa, says: "Let the statement of the facts be forcible and plain."

Good advice. . . . The German President, says a despatch this morning, "is progressing normally, following his operation early yesterday morning for appendicitis."

The army of those who have been through the mill will appreciate the comfortable language of the bulletin—so much more comfortable than the patient. . . . Nova Scotia has shipped more than a million barrels of apples to the English market so far this season. The slatter Province profits richly from its apple crop in an average year, and the business gives promise of still greater expansion. New Brunswick, which

has much excellent apple-growing territory, should take a leaf out of Nova Scotia's book. It could be done, and the results would be of immense benefit all round.

Mr. J. G. Scott, whose supplementary report on Canadian grain conditions has attracted no little attention, proposes that the railways be subsidized during the next ten years in order to recover for Canadian routes the grain traffic which we have lost to the United States ports. Mr. Scott reminds this country that two-thirds of the Canadian wheat crop now reaches the Atlantic through American harbors, and that the Dominion pays some \$15,000,000 annually to United States railways and lake vessels for transporting grain which we should handle ourselves.

Odds and Ends

"You never know what you'll find among the odds and ends."—From "Notes by a Wayfarer."

Prudes and Plays

No firm basis for hope is afforded by the report that a leading lady has quit the cast of her play because the language she was called upon to speak set a new mark of impropriety in our theatre and the character and emotions she was called upon to portray a new mark of sordid depravity, says the New York Times. Presumably there had been rehearsals. She did not reach her decision until her attention "had been forcibly drawn" to these matters by the critics. And in the process her attention was even more forcibly drawn to the fact, which on was doubtless not obvious at rehearsal, that the play had little chance of interesting the public. If it had been acclaimed as what it set out to be, an emotional drama, the night, bad language and bad character would have amply qualified as good art. No, we must look beyond the ladies and the gentlemen of the footlights for a censorship upon which we can depend.

Scarcely more comfort is to be had from an article on the subject in the Bulletin of the Association of Grand Jurors. After stating the many reasons why an official censor is futile, it says: "We are firmly of the opinion that the only adequate means of censorship in a democracy is the pressure of public opinion." This sounds right and fine—until one reads on. Then we get the council, which scarcely seems necessary, "not to go to plays which you believe will offend you"; and this is followed by the advice, humanly very difficult, "not to advertise those who offend you." Is outraged propriety to be dumb? Almost one is driven to subscribe to the Grand Jurors' view that "if the majority of our citizens want objectionable plays they will get them, and they will defeat all legal machinery designed to prevent them."

The crux lies in the fact that it is hard, often impossible, to define what is improper or immoral. Dion Boucicault once wrote that the stage is a "prudent of the eye, permitting the grossest language while refusing to countenance even the most decorously dressed stage heroism, and his readers had the prudery of the ear, excluding all verbal impropriety while permitting such revelations as "The Black Crook." We still have the prudery which even Shakespeare permitted, but we stop at nothing in the way of the human vocabulary profane or the human form divine. The prudery of barbarian nations which made them blush at nakedness, remarking that it once prevailed in the Greek. He would perhaps have been equally surprised at any reproach of the jests of Aristophanes. Are we becoming as decadent as the Greeks—or as artists?

The best to be said of us is that as yet we permit no wantonness in these matters, and that the prudery which is presented as artistic—and some times it is measurably so. The bad heroine of guttersnipe melodrama is invariably a "good lady" heroine, and we are asked to contemplate her in the high spirit of the sisterhood of woman. Those who will say that all this is hypocrisy, that what the public enjoys is something quite different. Be that as it may, hypocrisy is still the homage which vice pays to virtue. Even in this day of rapidly shifting standards, the one certain fact is that if such homage is not forthcoming, and sometimes when it is, the public exerts its censorship in the person of the policeman.

Its Chief Ailment. (New York Telegraph.) Mr. George Coe of Teachers' College, Columbia University, wants to know "What ails our youth?"

Just you and the all. And time will take care of that.

Have A Look. (Toronto Star.) Ministerial orator declares that more attention is being paid to beauty in connection with worship, and it's true. You go to church next Sunday and take notice of the male worshippers. A lot of 'em will simply keep their eyes glued on the good looking soprano in the choir gallery.

The Pie-Paved Path to Peace. (Baltimore Sun.) New England pie, broiled chicken, waffles and other American dishes, have been commended by a visiting British barrister—a lady barrister, at that—as a preventive of communism. This sounds a little like the old theory that the well-fed are too comfortable to quarrel, but perhaps there is deep philosophic principle involved. Certainly it would be interesting to ascertain the real reason why, when food agrees with a man, his neighbors do also.

Trouble Both Ways. (Sydney Herald.) An Australian barrister tells of a black fellow charged in a country town with stealing. His solicitor decided to put him in the box to give evidence on his own behalf. The magistrate, being doubtful if he understood the nature of an oath, undertook to examine him on the point.

"Jack," he said, "you know what will happen to you if you tell a lie?" "My oath, boss," replied Jacky, "me go down below—burn long time."

"Quite right," replied the magistrate. "And now you know what will happen if you tell the truth?" "Yes, boss. We lose 'em case."

The Maritime Delegation's Obvious Duty

By Rt. Rev. J. A. Richardson, Bishop of Fredericton.

(Republished from today's Telegraph-Journal.)

THE TELEGRAPH-JOURNAL is to be very heartily congratulated upon the vision and enterprise, out of which this campaign has come. It is exactly what the Maritimes have been waiting for so long. If any assurance were needed as to the wisdom and practicability of the plan now being pursued, it would be found in the extraordinary outburst of sympathy and support with which the movement is being met from one end of the Dominion to the other. It is quite apparent that no sectional or selfish appeal could have met with such an enthusiastic answer. Canada as a whole has expressed its approval of the plan in the most emphatic way, and it is reasonable to expect that the significance of that expressed approval will not be missed by the Government.



Rt. Rev. J. A. Richardson, Bishop of Fredericton.

present campaign is being carried on.

MARITIMES LOYAL.

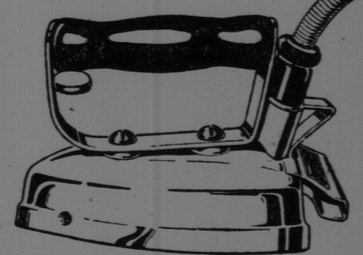
REFERENCE has been made to mutterings of discontent. Let there be no mistake about it. The mutterings are being heard. The discontent is there. Politicians may make light of it, but those who move and act among the people of these provinces know that there is a very deep feeling of dissatisfaction. It is not a question of essential banks, the other hand, perhaps, the better, in no part of Canada is there a more intense feeling of love for, and loyalty to the Dominion than in the provinces by the sea. They did not enter Confederation without much hesitation, nor, perhaps, without forebodings about the future, but the people of New Brunswick, and Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island, are Canadians to the very core. Yet, rankling in their hearts today, there is discontent, and a sense of grievance, and when that is true of any part of a country, it is not well for the whole.

A DANGER.

IT is to impress these facts upon the Government that from all parts of Canada deputations are being organized. Let the statement of the facts be very forcible and plain. The hope was expressed by the speaker upon the same occasion that "the Maritime delegation to Ottawa would not expect something at the expense of another portion of the Dominion." He trusted that "the highest good for every citizen of the Dominion would be their rule. Yet another speaker upon the same occasion deprecated the use of the expression "Maritime rights." Now it is not difficult to guess what was in the minds of both speakers, yet there is some danger at the present moment of overdoing that sort of sentiment. Sectionalism has long been a curse to Canada, and warnings against it are usually wise, but, as has been already pointed out, the spirit of the present appeal is not the spirit of sectionalism. If it had been that, it is doubtful whether the representatives of the Telegraph-Journal would ever have gone farther away from home than Montreal. Any suspicion of selfishness would have killed the campaign at its very outset.

EAST NEGLECTED.

BUT this is not all. For many years past other circumstances have been permitted to operate adversely to the Maritimes. Gigantic efforts have been made by successive governments to attract migrants to Canada. Railways and steamship lines have thrown all their influence and weight behind those efforts. But it has been with a view to filling up the vast spaces in the west, while the Atlantic provinces have been almost entirely neglected. In view of all these circumstances, is it any wonder that there are mutterings of discontent? Geographical drawbacks cannot well be dealt with by acts of parliament, and the United States Government is not likely to frame its tariff policy to meet the convenience of Canada. It is not unreasonable to ask the Dominion Government, however, to do all that lies in its power to remove financial obstacles to Maritime prosperity and happiness. It is with that expectation that the



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sacrifices as may be made by other provinces.

A CLEAR DUTY

IT is not well, of course, to make too much of "rights" in the presentation of the case for the Maritime Provinces, but neither is it well to shrink from the duty of making it quite clear that, in the sober judgment of the people of those provinces, they are suffering from certain "wrongs" that ought to be removed, and that, not only in the interests of one part of the Dominion, but also in the interests of the whole. That would seem to be the obvious duty of the delegation.

SECESSION TALK IN WEST DENIED

Crerar Says Such a Move Would Have Origin in East.

SIMCOE, Ont., Feb. 24.—Western Canada is not taking secession much more seriously, but still it is very much dissatisfied, T. A. Crerar, President of the United Grain Growers, told the Canadian Club here, last night. If secession ever advanced, he said, it would have its origin in the big centres of population in the east. The chief bond for all Canada today, is the effort to get the cheapest possible transportation rates for both freight and passengers.

SCHOOL ARGUMENT IN QUEBEC COURT

Status of Jews is Questioned by Counsel For Protestant Minority in Montreal.

Canadian Press Despatch. QUEBEC, Feb. 24.—That the provincial act of 1903, which declares Jews to be Protestants for school purposes in Montreal and accords to Jews equal rights with Protestants in these matters, is "ultra vires" was the argument of George A. Campbell, K. C., before the Court of Appeals here today when the question that has formed a controversy in Montreal school matters for several years was presented for decision.

The case for the Jewish population of the city, who urge that the act is constitutional, was presented by Louis St. Laurent, K. C. of Quebec and will be further expounded by Peter Berovich, K. C. of Montreal.

2 POLICE HELD AS BURGLARS' ALLIES

Accused of Accepting \$75 Each to Let Thieves Loot Warehouse.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Policemen Preston Roberts and William J. Truckenbrod of Brooklyn were held after each had been examined by District Attorney Charles J. Dodd. Two of the prisoners, Sol Bernstein and Sol Krevats, confessed that they had robbed the warehouse of the Drovkin Furniture Company, and alleged they had paid \$75 each to Roberts and Truckenbrod to give them a free hand in looting the place.

Deny Charges. The two accused policemen, who had adjoining beats in the vicinity of the robbery, which took place late Sunday night, protested their innocence throughout the several hours they were questioned by police officials and the prosecutor.

SACRIFICE

THE proposition, moreover, that one part of the Dominion must not expect anything at the expense of any other part will not bear investigation for a moment. If the health and strength of the Maritime Provinces are to be conserved, it is almost certain that some sacrifice must be made by other provinces. For example, it is difficult to see how there can be any adjustment of the freight rates in favor of the Maritimes without increasing to some extent, at least, the operating deficit upon the National Railway. Such an increase in the deficit must be borne by the whole Dominion, and any gain, therefore, to the Maritime Provinces would be proportionately, and at the expense of other provinces. In the long run, however—and this is the important point—every increase in Maritime prosperity, every removal of causes for discontent, every stimulus to trade, every check to emigration to the United States—all of these things will unquestionably make for the prosperity of the Dominion, and will so far justify such

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Bill Would Abolish Executions By Gas. RENO, Nev., Feb. 25.—Substitution of shooting for gas in legal executions would be provided in a bill introduced in the Legislature endorsed by the Governor of the State. Until the passage of the lethal gas law condemned persons in Nevada were allowed to choose either hanging or a firing squad. Warden Dickinson declared "execution by lethal gas is atrocious."

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CITY ENGINEER SEES POSSIBLE HARBOR CHANGE

Declares New West Side Layout May Be Found Desirable

MAKES REPORT TO COMMON COUNCIL

Tells of Repairs—Resolution on Death of Fire Chief.

That any large scheme for the development of a modern port on the west side of St. John harbor would probably involve an entirely new layout and the scrapping of some, if not all, of the present wharves and sheds, was the statement made in the report of G. G. Hare, the city engineer, as presented to the council yesterday.

Mr. Hare said that the estimates for repairs in his department were exceeded in only two cases. He pointed out that the city properties had been fairly well maintained but in West St. John there was much work necessary to make the properties more convenient for operation.

The report contains a detailed account of the work done upon the different city wharves and sheds along the waterfront.

Wharves Repaired. A new hot water heating system was installed to heat the offices on the McLeod wharf and a boiler house erected. In all \$11,808.66 was spent there. On the Pettengill wharf \$9,433 was expended.

Reed's wharf benefited to the extent of \$10,354.40. South Rodney wharf underwent extensive repairs. The railway trestle was rebuilt and the platform on the ships side of Nos. 5 and 6 sheds was entirely rebuilt from the wharf timbers up. A new rest room was built at the end of No. 6 shed. In all \$73,349.63 was spent on this wharf.

Union wharf also was repaired extensively at a cost of \$69,355.04. The report deals with other activities of the engineer in connection with city lands.

Trades and Labor. The St. John Trades and Labor Council sent to the City Council a copy of a resolution passed by the Brantford Trade Council and endorsed by the local council urging the extension of municipal ownership and operation to the mining and forests of the country in the hope that this would provide more employment and reduce taxes. The communication was officially filed.

On motion of Commissioner Bullock a renewal lease of three and a half lots on West Side, formerly leased to the Booth Fisheries Company, was granted to Lewis Connor and Son.

The following resolution was unanimously adopted: Resolution of Sympathy. Resolved that this council, having heard of the sudden death of Charles H. Jackson, for many years a valued and esteemed member of the Fire Department of the City of Saint John, and who since the death of the late Chief, Mr. George Blake, has been acting as chief, does now desire to place on record its sincere regret at the loss of a valuable and efficient officer and further resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the widow of the deceased.

GOOD PROGRAMME Concert Given in Presbyterian Church School Room in West St. John.

A very successful and much enjoyed concert was held last night in the school room of the First Presbyterian church in West St. John under the auspices of the Young People's Society, with Leonard Wilson, the president in the chair, and a large appreciative audience present. All of the numbers on the programme were heartily enjoyed.

They were as follows: Bagpipe solo, Rev. J. M. Murchison; reading, Miss Verta Roberts; solo, C. H. McFarlane; solo, Miss Frances Murdoch; quartette, Mrs. Murray Long, Mrs. Foster Fowler, Mrs. Edith Barcham and Miss Marion Stevens; reading, Archie MacVicar; solo, Percy Cruikshank; Highland Fling, Miss Bessie Whiting; solo, Miss Jessie Jamieson; reading, Miss H. Marshall; solo, Joseph A. Murdoch; duet, Miss Jessie Jamieson and Percy Cruikshank.

FILE FIRST PAPERS. The naturalization papers of O. Olsen and Theo Vasson, Norwegians, were filed in the County Court yesterday before Judge Barry, by K. J. MacRae, their attorney.

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Love of Their Home City The Distinguishing Trait of The Residents of Vancouver

By A. M. BELDING

Special Representative of The Telegraph-Journal and Times-Star now touring Vancouver, Canada in the interests of the Maritime Provinces.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 13.—(By mail)—I have just returned from a motor ride with J. N. Harvey through that portion of the city which contains the big grain elevators, the Ballantyne Pier and some of the factories of the city. We also traversed the exhibition grounds and saw the fine buildings and other equipment, constructed on an extensive scale amid very attractive surroundings.

We saw, also, a large area where pretty residences in great numbers are set in an area where the stumps of trees are still evident in evidence, although streets, sidewalks and all other conveniences have been provided.

Rapid Growth. This illustrates the amazingly rapid growth of Vancouver in the last few years. The city spreads over a very large area, which makes the provision of streets, sewerage and other conveniences an expensive business; but the complete confidence of the citizens in continued rapid growth makes the expenditure a matter of course. Taxes on real estate are not high in comparison with St. John.

H. V. McKinnon told me his taxes on a fine house and lot here are less than half what he paid in St. John on a property no greater in real value.

I rubbed my eyes as I went abroad this morning. Clear air and warm sunshine made heavy clothing a burden and everywhere were tokens of spring. The catkins have been out on the willows for some time, and people are beginning to put seed in their gardens.

By contrast, the sentinel mountains inland gleamed white with snow on their summits, and seemed very near.

Love Their City. The people of Vancouver, whether old-timers or new-comers, love their city and are keen to express their feelings. The long summers appeal to those who are not partial to winter weather. The city has a great asset in the Vancouver Hotel. Its spacious rotunda is generally filled with people from all over the world, and its numerous dining halls and rooms for meetings and receptions and entertainments make it a social and civic centre of very real value and constant use.

Deaths. George H. Wallace. At Merrimack, Mass., on Feb. 18, George H. Wallace died after a short illness of pneumonia. He leaves a wife, four sons and three daughters, four brothers and three sisters. Mr. Wallace was for many years a resident of Brown's Flats and his death will be much regretted by friends in that locality.

Mrs. George H. Manning. MONCTON, Feb. 24.—Mrs. Elizabeth Rodd Manning, widow of George H. Manning, passed away today at her residence, 256 Highfield street. She had resided in the city for more than 40 years. Until about a year ago, when her health began to fail, Mrs. Manning was a member of the board of the Children's Aid Society. She was also a member of the St. George's Anglican Church Guild and the Willing Workers, as well as the auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Born in Roxbury, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Rodd, Mrs. Manning is survived by two daughters, Mrs. H. D. Adamson and Miss S. M. Manning, one grandson, George Gorman Manning, three brothers, Edward and Charles Rodd, of New York, W. R. Rodd, of Moncton, and one sister, Mrs. D. S. Biggs, of Amherst. The funeral services will be held on Thursday afternoon.

MANY MORE THERE Teachers' Training Institute Session Continued Last Evening—Close Thursday.

The Teachers' Training Institute being conducted under the auspices of the Maritime Religious Education Council, attracted many people last night, the attendance being nearly twice as large as on the opening night. Following the opening worship period conducted by Miss Marie Trotter, the address on the Teachers' preparation of lesson was given by Rev. F. M. Milligan.

The meeting was then divided for the study of various problems and methods, as they concern the different grades in the Sunday school. The leaders for group discussion were Miss Trotter, Mr. Milligan, Miss Annie Harris, Rev. H. S. B. Strothard and Rev. W. C. Machum.

The Institute's next session will be tomorrow night. No session will be held tonight. The Thursday night session will close the Institute here. The same programme will be carried out in St. Stephen next week on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and the five secretaries will be in charge as they have been here.

In the following week a five day Teacher Training Institute following similar lines will be conducted by the five secretaries in Moncton.

HAPPY EVENING Young Women's Chancel Guild of St. James' Church Entertains.

The Young Women's Chancel Guild of St. James' church gave a measuring party last night and the entertainment was both greatly enjoyed and a satisfactory financial success. There was a large attendance. Refreshments were served. The numbers on the programme were heartily applauded and were as follows: Solo, Miss Florence Trentowsky; solo, Miss Muriel Akerley; reading, Miss Adelaide Marven; duet, Miss Dorothy Kee and Arnold Kee; solo, Gordon Holder; piano solo, Dorothy Fitzpatrick; solo, Mrs. Albert H. Ellis; original readings by Rev. H. A. Cady. The accompanist of the evening was Miss Bessie Farmer.

MISS MARTHA CASEY IS MISS ST. CROIX

Selection is Made From Among Four Queens of Border Towns.

ST. STEPHEN, Feb. 24.—Tonight was the banner night of the season at St. Croix rink here when the choosing of Miss St. Croix took place from the four queens representing their respective towns on the border, namely Miss Woodland, Miss Lilian McKenzie, Miss Galais, Miss Elizabeth Hartford, Miss Milltown, Miss Martha Casey, and Miss St. Stephen, Miss Annie Bennett. The four young ladies appeared on the ice and the selection, which was by popular vote, was a difficult one, as each looked charming. The choice went to Miss Milltown, who received the majority of votes and who was crowned Miss St. Croix for the season of 1925. The vote was close throughout.

Miss Casey is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Casey, of Milltown, and is not only very popular in her own town but throughout the border. She is of fine appearance, a good skater and of charming personality.

During the evening the large number of spectators enjoyed the fancy skating act of Carlisle and Peterson, of New York, who are exceptionally good in their three whirlwind acts.

Broke Up Auto And Sold It For Junk

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The mystery of the disappearance of John Pink's automobile from the garage a few doors away from his home at New Brighton, S. I., has been solved. August

TUG SINKS IN BATHURST. BATHURST, Feb. 24.—The Gloucester Lumber and Trading Company's tug, which has been wintering at their small dock near the George Eddy Co's mill, sank at its moorings today.

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Four St. John Nurses Will Go To Attend Congress in Finland

The Board of Commissioners of the General Public Hospital yesterday afternoon, at a special meeting, granted leave of absence to Miss Margaret Murdoch, superintendent of nurses, and Miss L. C. Belding, anaesthetist, during the coming summer in order that they might attend the Congress of the International Council of Nurses in Helsinki, Finland, from July 20 to 25. Besides Miss Murdoch and Miss Belding two others from St. John will attend the congress, Miss Maud Addy and Miss Florence Coleman, of the East St. John Hospital.

Amongst the subjects that will be dealt with in the sessions will be administration and teaching in schools of nursing, public health nursing, special fields of nursing, nursing legislation and nursing associations and publications. There will be excursions and outings as well as social functions in connection with the congress. It is expected that there will be representatives from all of the countries where the nursing association have affiliation with the International Council.

Yaguch, 17 years old, who lived with his father and mother in the same house, confessed that he had stolen the car, taken it to a vacant lot, broken it to pieces and sold the debris to a junkman for \$1.50.

REMARKABLE RUN OF LARGE HERRING

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The smokers, too, were finding a ready market for their product, he said. In the vicinity of Mad's Bay scallops were fairly plentiful.

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## STEAL THOUSANDS

Two Thugs Hold up Collector in Downtown Toronto and Make Escape.

Canadian Press Despatch. TORONTO, Feb. 24.—Two hold-up men secured a satchel containing several thousand dollars today when they set upon Joe Morris, a collector for the Dominion Stores, Ltd., as he emerged from a downtown branch of the company, firing a revolver and forcing him to relinquish his hold on the bag. The men made their escape in a motor car. It has not yet been determined how much money the satchel contained.

## 20,000 Miles To Collect 33 Cents

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Cape Town, South Africa, was the spot where a 33-cent bill for electric light service, mailed three months ago, overtook a woman resident of the Park Slope section of Brooklyn who is traveling and last week the Brooklyn Edison Company received the bill and a draft for payment in full.

The bill, which had traveled 20,000 miles, was sent to a retired school principal. The Brooklyn Edison Company will send a receipt today.

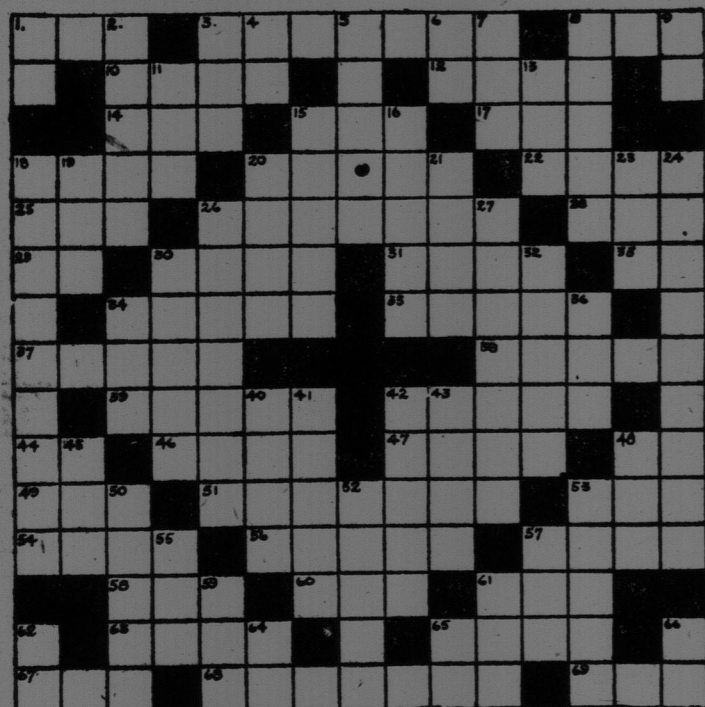
## TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

John Callahan, of Richmond street, was taken ill in Union street yesterday afternoon. He was taken to the General Public Hospital in the ambulance and after receiving treatment was conveyed to his home.



THE TIMES-STAR FEATURE PAGE

Cross-Word Puzzle



- 1.—Vehicle for carrying passengers. 2.—Meal (pl). 3.—2000 pounds. 10.—So. 12.—An in the lee side of a ship. 14.—Space of years. 15.—Beverage. 17.—Bark. 18.—Biblical pronoun. 19.—Part of a stable. 22.—Take care of. 23.—4 1/2 yards. 24.—Fictitious narratives. 25.—Organ of hearing. 26.—Preposition. 28.—Part of verb "to be." 29.—Far below the surface. 32.—Father. 34.—Mold. 35.—Mistake. 37.—Metal. 38.—Musical instrument. 39.—Pointed pieces of metal. 42.—The joint between hand and arm. 43.—On high. 44.—Rate. 47.—Contest of speed. 48.—Printer's expression. 49.—Rested. 51.—Injurious to health. 52.—A fabulous bird. 54.—Besides. 56.—Drawings of buildings. 57.—Small houses. 58.—Part of a circle. 61.—Incline. 62.—Beverage flavored with juniper berries. 63.—180 sheets of paper. 65.—Orient. 67.—Affirmative. 68.—Motive. 69.—Male child. 1.—Near. 2.—Horse. 3.—The earth's furnace. 4.—Pronoun. 5.—Pertaining to the magnetic poles. 6.—God of sun. 7.—Cunning. 8.—Indian wigwam. 9.—Negative. 11.—Garden implement. 13.—Consume. 15.—To make reparation. 16.—To slur over. 18.—Pour out of one into another. 19.—Very warm. 20.—Principal axis of a flower. 21.—Look slyly with malice. 22.—Short slumber. 23.—Pertaining to the drama. 24.—Large species of seats. 27.—Military duty. 30.—An every meal food. 32.—Balance. 34.—Low flat marsh land. 36.—Decay. 40.—Noose. 41.—An expression on the face. 42.—Mistaken. 43.—Male sheep (pl.) 45.—Close friend. 48.—A poker term. 50.—Former Russian ruler. 52.—Wise men. 53.—Small animals. 54.—Before. 57.—Pronoun. 59.—Vehicle. 61.—Matter in the most rarified state. 62.—Forever. 64.—Personal pronoun. 65.—A printer's measure. 66.—Preposition.

Fables On Health

VEGETABLES IMPORTANT.

If women in their quest for beautiful complexion exercise as much care in the selection of vegetables for the table as they do in the selection of massages and face creams they would obtain more satisfactory returns. This is the conclusion of Mrs. Mann of Anytown after studying foods for health's sake. Many a doctor's prescription contains nothing more than the elements contained in vegetables the housewife may buy for a few cents at the corner grocery. These elements are phosphates, calcium and iron, the very things to clear up a muddy complexion, build up resistance in the body and make work seem easier. There are root vegetables, such as onions, carrots, turnips, beets and parsnips. There are leafy vegetables such as spinach, cabbage, brussels sprouts, lettuce, kale, endive, escarole, dandelion greens, beets, turnip tops and chard. All of these are especially valuable for iron and vitamin A, and some of these should be eaten every day. Potatoes are an excellent food. In addition to mineral elements, they contain starch as well, which makes them high in energy, and one of the best and cheapest foods for children and people doing hard work.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



Many a gift of hosiery carries an awful sock.

PLEATED SKIRTS.

Deep inverted pleats in the back and the front of the skirt give the fullness that is demanded for comfort in the sport frock and at the same time keep the outline straight and close.

The Eaton Jacket Revived

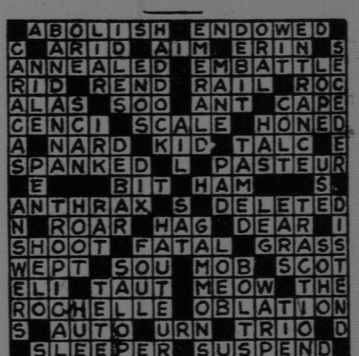


THE old Eaton jacket is revived in this street frock of navy blue. The short jacket buttons over a waistcoat of white pique with gold buttons down the front. The tie effects at collar, waist and sleeves are very new and striking.

Boy Is Drowned Chasing Marble

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Feb. 24.—Joseph, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Emberly, Gannon Road, was drowned in the harbor this afternoon. He was playing marbles with other boys on the ice that fringes the harbor and was chasing a stray marble when he got on the slope near open water and slid in. He was quickly carried away by the current and when the body was finally recovered it was too late for resuscitation.

Yesterday's Puzzle.



Adventures of the Twins

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"Have you got any Midnight Oil?" asked Mrs. Owl when Mister Peg Leg the fairy peddler, knocked at her door in Maple Tree Flats. Munch Mouse, the janitor, had taken the little man and his friends, Nancy and Nick (as they as fairies themselves in their magic shoes) up in the elevator. Then he had hurried away again. Munch Mouse had, for he was afraid of Mrs. Owl with her great eyes and crooked back. "Have you got any Midnight Oil?" asked Mrs. Owl when they were all inside her apartment, and Mister Peg Leg had started to unpeck his wares. "Midnight Oil," exclaimed Mister Peg Leg in surprise. "Why, I don't think I have—or rather, I mean I do think I don't have. I'm always forgetting my grammar. But I have fans and sunbonnets and—"

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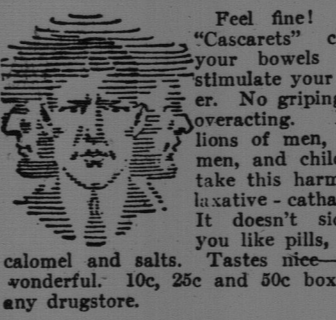
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Social and Personal Notes

Mrs. Simeon Jones entertained at a most enjoyable bridge of six tables yesterday afternoon at her residence, Garden Street, in honor of Mrs. George McLeod. The prizes were won by the guest holding the highest score at each table. They were Mrs. George McLeod, Mrs. Kentor, Mrs. Brehm, Mrs. W. A. MacLaughlan, Mrs. Daniel Mullin, and Mrs. Robert C. Crulshank. At the tea hour Mrs. C. J. Coster presided. The table was most artistically arranged with spring flowers. She was assisted by Miss Ethel Sidney Smith and Miss Clara Schofield. Those present were Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. George P. Smith, Mrs. Kentor, Mrs. McMullan, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, Mrs. J. Morris Robinson, Mrs. Leigh B. Harrison, Mrs. John K. Schofield, Mrs. James F. Robertson, Mrs. H. C. Rankine, Mrs. E. A. Schofield, Mrs. James Jack, Mrs. Andrew Jack, Mrs. Rowland Frith, Miss Ada Bayard, Mrs. Brohm, Mrs. J. Roy Campbell, Mrs. W. A. MacLaughlan, Mrs. Clarence de Forest, Mrs. Robert C. Crulshank, Miss Ethel Sidney Smith, Mrs. Daniel Mullin, Mrs. Fred Harding and Mrs. A. H. Crowfoot.

Mrs. Thomas Bell was hostess at a most delightful tea yesterday afternoon at her residence, Germain street. The drawing rooms were most effective with candle light and many spring flowers. In receiving, Mrs. Bell was assisted by her daughter, Miss Katherine Bell. Mrs. Fred Peters and Mrs. G. W. Merritt presided at the prettily appointed table, which was arranged with spring flowers, and Mrs. G. E. Barbour cut the loaves. Assisting were Mrs. H. F. Puddington, Mrs. A. H. Merritt, Miss Mignon Kerr, Miss Emily Sturdee, Miss Frances Kerr, Miss Kathleen Sturdee, and Miss Florence Puddington. Among those present were Mrs. C. H. Fairweather, Mrs. L. R. Harrison, Mrs. John McAvity, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, Mrs. Allan Daniel, Mrs. T. E. G. Armstrong, Mrs. C. J. Coster, Mrs. Richard Hooper, Mrs. A. M. Peters, Miss Alice Walker, Mrs. Henry Gilbert, Mrs. Frank Fairweather, Mrs. F. T. Short, Mrs. William Angus, Mrs. W. Edmond Raymond, Mrs. Hugh Miller, Miss May Harrison, Mrs. T. H. Bullock, Miss Alice Fairweather, Mrs. W. H. Shaw, Mrs. Alexander Wilson, Miss Celia Armstrong, Miss Berrie, Mrs. C. W. Hope Grant, Miss Margaret Fairweather, Mrs. C. Scott, Miss Edith Magee, Miss Snider, Mrs. Angevine, Mrs. A. K. Harvie, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. H. Hennes, Mrs. Gerald Foster, Miss Eileen Cushing and Miss Doris DeVeber.



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Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY

Preparations Are Made For Events in March—New Officers Welcomed.

Preparations for three entertainments to be held within one week at the Y. M. C. A. were made by the Ladies Auxiliary of the association at its meeting yesterday afternoon, when Mrs. D. R. Willet the newly elected elected president, and Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, the newly elected secretary, were welcomed on taking office. Reports were received that the father and son banquet had been successful. In the plans for the coming month arrangements were made for Mother's Day on March 8, when the Auxiliary will have charge of the refreshments and the social part of the entertainment for the banquet to be given the Young Men's Club on March 8, when a special speaker will be present to address the club, and for a supper to be held for the canvassers who will conduct the financial campaign for the association, and will start out on March 10 to solicit support of the campaign.

BRIDGE ENJOYED

Mrs. Norman P. McLeod Hostess at G. W. V. A. Function.

Mrs. Norman P. McLeod, of 900 Watson street, West St. John, was hostess yesterday afternoon for a bridge of 12 tables under the auspices of the Women's Service League of the G. W. V. A., of West St. John, of which she is president. Spring flowers were tastefully arranged in the cosy rooms. Mrs. Charles H. B. Wirght was convener for the refreshments. Those assisting at the tea hour were Mrs. George W. J. Scott, Mrs. Fred MacMaster, Mrs. M. E. Perkins, Mrs. R. K. Smith, Mrs. LeBaron Clarke and Mrs. Herbert Mayes. Mrs. John Montgomery took the tickets. A vote of

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Mrs. H. F. McLeod, of Fredericton, president of the New Brunswick I. O. O. F. and Mrs. Kenneth I. Campbell, of St. John, educational secretary, will go today to Moncton where they will speak on I. O. O. F. matters before the three Moncton Chapters, Bonar Law, Lieut.-Colonel Boyd Anderson and Fort Cumberland. The meeting will be held in the Free Public Library this evening. Mrs. McLeod and Mrs. Campbell will proceed on Thursday to Sackville, where they will speak to a joint assembly of the Dorchester, Port Elgin and Lord Sackville Chapters. Fort Cumberland Chapter will hold its annual meeting Thursday evening, in Moncton.

Mrs. Horace E. Fawcett, of Sackville, who has been visiting her brother-in-law, Mr. Stephen S. Thorne, 100 Carmarthen street, left yesterday afternoon for Detroit, Mich., via Montreal. She will visit her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Fawcett, of Detroit.

Mrs. R. H. McCully, of Amherst, who was visiting her brother-in-law, Mr. Stephen S. Thorne, is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lefferts Thorne, 102 Carmarthen street. She will not return home until the latter part of the week.

Dr. W. F. Ganong, professor at Smith College, Northampton, Mass., who has been visiting his brother, Mr. A. D. Ganong, at St. Stephen, arrived in the city yesterday and was the lecturer at Netherwood, Rothesay, last evening. Mr. Ganong, of St. Stephen, accompanied his brother. They were guests yesterday of Miss Susan B. Ganong, principal of the Girls' School at Rothesay.

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TO LET—Sunny flat, 7 rooms, open

gate, tubs, hardwood floors. On Carline—246 Prince street. 11516-2-28

TO LET—Two flats, 21-23 Kennedy

Place. Seen any time—Apply 146 Leinster street. 11520-2-28

DESIRABLE modern 6 roomed middle

class flat, well heated by hand-fired boiler, 23 King Street, East, also small flat in rear. Inquire Bensen's, Ltd., 17-19 Charlotte street, or Phone M. 2814. 11491-3-3

TO LET—Two large rooms for light

housekeeping, electric; also two small rooms, Mrs. Reynolds, 17 Princess, Phone 2310-11. 11370-2-27

TO LET—Upper flat, 8 rooms, bath,

electric. Seen Wednesday, Friday 3-5, 306 Princess, M. 2744. 11401-3-3

TO RENT—Modern flat, Crown street,

between Princess and Orange—Six 2165. 11406-3-2

TO LET—Five room flat, bath, electric,

95 Stanley street. 11514-2-28

TO LET—Upper flat, 72 Exmouth street,

9 rooms, bath, electric. Rent \$35. Also garage. Apply 74 Exmouth street, or Phone 820 or 2732. 11374-3-27

FLATS TO LET

TO LET—Bright and sunny 8 rooms, hot water heating, electric, Princess St.—Phone 3148, 8-3 p.m. only. 11542-2-28

TO LET—One house, seven rooms,

toilet, lights and bath, Germain street, West End, rent \$16.00. Lower flat, five rooms, birch floor on kitchen and dining room, 7 Germain street, West End; rent \$12.00. Seven room flat, toilet and lights, 427 Main street; rent \$18.00. Seven room flat, 464 Main street, rent \$13.00. Can be seen Tuesday and Friday 2 to 4—Apply Carson Coal Co., corner Lansdowne Ave. and Elm street, Phone M. 2186. 11544-2-28

TO LET—Bright warm flat, \$23—Phone

1466-41. 11464-3-2

TO LET—Modern flat, Apply Quinn &

Co., Ltd., 413 Main street. 11535-2-27

TO LET—Flats, 683 Main street, other

small flats on Main street—Kenneth Wilson, Barrister, etc., 41 Canterbury street. 11523-2-28

TO LET—Flat, 6 rooms, electric, 105

Dorchester. Apply Monday and Friday. 11529-2-27

MODERN 6 room flat, 5 room flat—

Apply 100 Main street, Main 202-2. 11412-2-28

TO LET—Flat



PAPER STOCKS ACTIVE TODAY

Wayagmack Up 3 Points and Howard Smith 5 Higher

OTHER ISSUES SHOW SLIGHT ADVANCES

Contrasting Price Movements Mark Early Trading in Wall Street

MONTREAL, Feb. 25.—One board of Wayagmack changed hands 3 points higher at 46 during the early trading on the local stock market this morning, this being the only change of interest, though a small lot of Howard Smith was bought for 85, up 5.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Contrasting price movements marked the opening of today's stock market. Some of the low-priced rail shares continued their advance.

NEW YORK MARKET. Stocks to 12 noon.

Table with columns: Stock Name, Open, High, Low, Close. Includes Atchafalca, Am Beet Sugar, Allied Chem, etc.

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FINANCIAL

Winnipeg Grain Market. Winnipeg, Feb. 25.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price. Includes July wheat, Sept. wheat, May corn, etc.

Morning Stock Letter

(From McDougall & Cowans.) NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The market was uncertain and nervous today due to the money situation.

Brokers' Opinions

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Boche—"Advise taking profits on any further bulges such as we had in last few days for a little turnover."

Current Events

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Whitely Overland plans to increase production of Overland Six sedan to 300 daily.

Loss of Steel Vessel Tonnage in 1924 Greatest Since 1913.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 25.—(Associated Press)—The loss of steel vessel tonnage on the Great Lakes in 1924 was the greatest in any year since 1918.

JURY DUTY COSTS HIS HIS POSITION

Court, However, Gets Jersey City Man His Job Back Again.

\$4,000 and 800 Bottles of Liquor Collected

NEWPORT, Vt., Feb. 25.—Customs officials collected 800 bottles liquor and fines of \$5 a bottle from passengers on the Montreal-Boston train here yesterday.

10-DAY CONVENTION TO OPEN TOMORROW

Christian and Missionary Alliance Meetings in Prince Edward Street Church.

A convention of the Christian and Missionary Alliance will open tomorrow night in the Prince Edward street-union church.

BESCO FOUNDRY AT SYDNEY IS BURNED

A fair was held at Trinity church hall last evening when all the church organizations united in the effort to raise funds for the summer camps of the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides.

BAPTIST PERSONALS

N. S. Woman at 96 Reads Denominational Paper—Gypsy Hawkins in Vermont.

IS ORDAINED AND RETURNS TO CITY

Rev. W. E. Fuller, St. Luke's Curate, Will Finish Course in April.

BEGIN PARLEY ON MINE WAGE DISPUTE

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 25.—The Government yesterday began negotiations with the British Empire Steel Corporation and men employed in the Bell Island Iron Mines in an effort to settle the labor trouble which began last month when the company introduced time clocks.

PRESENT COMEDY

Girls of W. A. of St. Paul's Church Give Good Entertainment.

Concrete Block and Brick for Sale

We have in stock, manufactured by our plant, ready for immediate delivery.

Japan Approves Soviet Agreement

TOKIO, Feb. 25.—The Privy Council today ratified the agreement recently arrived at between the Japanese and Soviet ambassadors at Peking establishing diplomatic relations between the two governments.

Pattern Shop With Valuable Contents is Saved—Machinery Destroyed.

SYDNEY, N. S., Feb. 25.—A spectacular fire which broke out about 3.30 this morning completely destroyed the factory, the oldest building on the plant of the British Empire Steel Corporation here.

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MENTHOLATUM CROSS WORD PUZZLE CONTEST WIN A CASH PRIZE

You don't have to buy anything to enter this competition—simply fill in the cross word puzzle and mail it as quickly as possible to us with your name and address.

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WEBBER AUCTIONS FIRE SALE AT ARNOLD'S DEPARTMENT STORE

STEPPER AUCTIONS Large Freehold Property Residence and Garage

SHERIFF'S SALE At Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 27th February, A. D. 1925, at three o'clock p. m., at or near the residence of A. J. Taylor, Esq., 98 Church Avenue, Fairville, in the Parish of Lunenburg, one motor truck, one wood sawing machine, two horses, one sloop, pair hobsels, one sled, two wagons, etc., the same having been seized and levied on by me on several executions against John E. Anderson and against John E. Anderson and Emma L. Anderson.

POTTS Auction Sale OF ORIENTAL RUGS At my Salesroom, 96 Germain Street FOR THREE DAYS ONLY COMMENCING THURSDAY, 26, FRIDAY, 27 and SATURDAY, 28 at 2.30 P. M. EACH DAY. Also SATURDAY at 8 P. M. Goods on View All Day WEDNESDAY 25 The Art Loving Public of St. John and those furnishing new homes should not fail to attend this important sale, as every rug is a masterpiece from the hand looms of the Orient consigned to us for absolute sale from BABAYAN'S LTD., Canada's largest Oriental Rug distributors.



CANADIENS AND ST. PATS ARE CRIPPLED FOR BIG GAME TONIGHT

BOTH TEAMS ARE TO BE WITHOUT STAR PLAYERS

Joliat Is Injured And Jack Adams Is Sick

MONTREAL, Feb. 25.—Misfortune is dogging the footsteps of the world's champion Canadiens on the eve of the most important battle of the National Hockey League season, for play off positions.

Joliat Is Injured. Tonight the Canadiens meet the St. Pats, at the Arena, in a game which will not only decide which of the two teams is to hold undisputed sway of second place, but what is more important, which of the two will come out with a fair chance of overhauling the Hamilton Tigers for the league leadership.

It is likely that Odie Cleghorn will start at centre, and that Morens will be shifted to Joliat's place on the wing.

Adams Still Sick. TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 25.—St. Pats will not be at full strength for their N. H. L. fixture with Canadiens at Montreal, tonight, owing to the continued illness of Jack Adams, St. Pats star centre man.

Adams did not accompany the team to Montreal. Mike Neville, who made good with St. Pats, in the game against the Montreal team Saturday night, last, will probably be used in place of Adams.

JOE IRVINE STARTS TRAINING FOR BOUT

Is to Appear in Semi-Final Bout Here in the Near Future.

Joe Irvine will start training today for a bout to be staged in this city in the near future. He is to appear in a semi-final against an opponent to be chosen in the near future. Irvine has not been in a local ring for some time, and since his sensational showing against both McKenna and Carbone local fans are naturally anxious to see him perform.

BIG GAME FRIDAY

Fast New Glasgow Hockey Team Will Clash With St. Johns.

Keen interest is being shown in the hockey game slated for the Arena Friday night when the fast New Glasgow team will be here. This will be the first appearance of this team on local ice. They won their last game against Nova Scotia last season and are a fast and aggressive group of players.

Should the venture prove successful it is quite possible that a fast Halifax team will be brought here next week. Now that the league is over, St. John has the opportunity of adding to their line-up, and in the coming games will utilize Bidlake of Fredericton, whose work in goal this year has been of a sensational nature.

Blow From Hockey Stick Injures Fan

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 23.—The Cleveland-St. Paul hockey game here last night broke up in a row, in which H. Kasken, a spectator, was knocked down by Nelson Stewart, Cleveland player, and his head crushed by a blow from a hockey stick.

The old Romans used brass vessels in their water systems almost identical with those of modern times.

In some of the New England colonies building lots were provided free for bachelors consenting to marry.

The Suez canal is a sea-level water-way without sluices or locks.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS advertisement with logo and text: 'DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES'.

ARENA—HOCKEY FRIDAY NIGHT, FEB. 27. NEW GLASGOW vs. ST. JOHN. Boxes, 75c, tax 5c and all other seats 50c, tax 2c. School boys and girls 25c, tax 1c.

Sussex Wins Series Against Bathurst and Will Play Summerside

Along the Sport Trail

By RAY HANSEN

BRITISH athletic authorities have come to the conclusion that if Great Britain is to maintain its rank among the leading nations of the world in athletics it must reconstruct its system of development. It is pointed out that the fundamental fault lies in not taking boys and girls in hand during their early school days and developing them then, instead in trying to make athletes out of them after they have grown to be young men and women.

THAT A. K. Macomber has one of the most elaborate and best fitted racing stables in the world is an opinion expressed by close followers of the turf, who have had the pleasure of visiting his establishment at Poissy, near Paris. He has in his possession a string of 200 to 300 horses. It will be recalled that he added considerably to his holdings recently when he purchased the stud and training establishment of W. K. Vanderbilt for approximately \$5,000,000 francs.

IT IS NOT an unusual thing for a man before the public eye, especially if he is popular, to be "kidded" if he takes upon himself a bride. Dempsey apparently realizing this planned a secret marriage and undoubtedly enjoyed a good laugh at the expense of writing staffs all over the Pacific Coast who were eagerly awaiting the big nuptial event. It was a case of "the who laughs last", for ever since he has been subjected to all kinds of raillery. First it was given out that his life partner was of a temperamental disposition and intended to do all the fighting in their home. Now the question is advanced whether or not the champion will take a chance of getting his nose disfigured.

BASEBALL FANS will be interested to read about Christie Mathewson, former star pitcher for the Giants and one of the most highly respected men who ever donned a baseball suit. For those who have been following his career they will be interested to learn that he has been spending the winter months at Saranac Lake. It will be recalled that he went there when he was suffering from tuberculosis and won the greatest battle of his career. Now that he is president of the Boston Braves local fans would welcome a championship series in the Hub with his team competing for world honors.

EDDIE ONSLOW SOLD

Goes to Newark as Manager After Seven Years With Toronto Leafs.

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 25.—Eddie Onslow, who for the last seven years, has been a member of the Leafs, was last night sold to the Newark club, where he will act as manager of the Bears the coming season. The deal has been hanging fire since the International League meeting in New York on February 10.

Boston Bruins Win From Montreal Team

BOSTON, Feb. 25.—Boston Bruins scored their fourth victory of the National Hockey League season last night, when they defeated Montreal, 2-1, in an overtime game. "Red" Stuart of Amherst scored the deciding goal.

Trojans Win Game

The Trojans basketball team defeated Woodstock 38 to 31 in an exhibition game played in Woodstock last evening. The game was well contested and was witnessed by a large number of fans.

RIFLE CLUB WINS

With a total score of 958 to 422, the St. John City Rifle Club defeated the Machine Gunners on the Armory range last night and won the trophies as leaders in the City Rifle League tournament.

ORIOLES DEFEAT ST. JUDES.

The Orioles of the Y. M. H. A. defeated the St. Jude's in a basketball match on the Y. M. H. A. floor last night by a score of 14 to 12.

HEADS NEWARK GAME.

NEWARK, N. J., Feb. 25.—William Ashton was elected president of the Newark International League baseball club at its annual meeting.

TEDDY O'BRIEN WINS.

SYDNEY, Feb. 25.—Teddy O'Brien of Sydney won a decision over Bobby Smith of Sydney Mines in a ten round bout here last night.

ALL-STARS WIN.

Stone Church All-Stars defeated German Street Trail Rangers 21 to 17 in a basketball match on the German street floor last evening.

Local Boxers Have Started Training

JOE IRVINE and Earl Penny, two local boxers, are working out every night in the Alameda Athletic Club rooms. Union street. Both are getting in condition for bouts which they expect to participate in next month. Irvine is a welterweight and Penny a junior lightweight.

HIGH SCORING IN HEXATHLON MEET

Wilson's Team Wins Shield—Malcolm Was Highest Individual Point Winner.

During the past week the Y. M. C. A. has been conducting an Inter-Team Contest for the Hexathlon Events, consisting of four teams, captained by Eddie Yeomans, Ron Pattison, Gordon Wilson and the Fire-side team. Gordon Wilson's team won the shield by defeating the Fire-side team by a score of 1808 points to 1789, a difference of 19 points.

In the 60 yard potato race, Walter Pollard made the first time of doing it in 14.5 seconds. In the 160 yard potato race, Eddie Yeomans made the best time, 44.5 seconds, defeating Wilson by 1.5 of a second.

BASKETBALL

Maritime Association Meets in Halifax—Executive to Arrange Title Play-off.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 25.—An organization meeting of the Maritime Basketball Association was held here last night at W. M. Wolcott, secretary, appointed president by the M. P. B. A. U. of C. in the chair. Officers were elected and H. T. C. Hutton of the St. John Y. M. C. A. was appointed to appoint a vice-president. George Walker of Charlottetown was appointed to do likewise in his province, and the executive, when so formed, will meet to arrange a series for the maritime championship.

LOWERS OWN RECORD

Willie Ritola Turns in Sensational Performance in Long Distance Race.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Willie Ritola smashed his own world's indoor record for 5,000 metres last night in the distance feature of the Cathedral Beneficent track meet. The Finnish-American ace covered the distance in 14 minutes, 23.1-5 seconds, lowering by seven and four-fifths seconds, the mark he set three weeks ago. On his way to the finish, Ritola also lowered his own record for three miles, when he was clocked in 13:56.1-5 as compared with his former mark of 14:01.2-5 seconds, ten days ago.

Finnish Star Will Not Be Suspended

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The case against Willie Ritola, growing out of the failure of the Finnish distance star to appear yesterday at the American Legion games at Boston, has been closed with Ritola still in good standing. This was announced by Murray Hulbert, president of the National A. U., who said he notified Boston promoters, that in view of the "plausible explanation" given by Hugo Quist, Ritola's trainer, no basis for any disciplinary action against the runner, now was justified.

'Kid' Wagner Restored To Lightweight Tourney

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Kid Wagner, Philadelphia, was restored to the lightweight championship tournament today by the State Athletic Commission who ruled that he was a victim of an unjustified decision when he lost in a 12-round bout with Jimmy Goodrich in the opening competition of this week.

Schaefer Wins In Billiard Tourney

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Jake Schaefer, former 152 ball line billiard champion of the world, last night defeated Edouard Horemans, Belgian champion, 400 to 161 in the third match of the International 152 ball line billiard championship tournament here. Schaefer clicked off a high run of 130 in the seventh inning, a new mark for the tournament.

Recognized as Canadian Champions



In the above layout are shown nine Canadian boxing stars. They are considered by many fans to be the best in their respective classes in Canada. They are: 1, Frankie Bull, Lightweight; 2, 'Vic' Foley, Bantam; 3, 'Kid' Durand, Flyweight; 4, Jimmy Brit, Flyweight contender; 5, Jack Fenault, Heavyweight; 6, Jackie Johnson, Featherweight contender; 7, George Field, Welterweight; 8, Howard Mayberry, Bantamweight contender; 9, Jack Reddick, Middle and Light-Heavyweight.

Shots Off the King Pin

Results of Candle Pin Bowling on the Local Alleys

Table with bowling scores for Inter-Association League, I. O. G. T., Ramblers, Beavers, A. O. H., and Modern League.

Martello Club To Have Baseball Team

At a meeting of the Martello Athletic Club held last night in Hilton Belyea's rink, West St. John, P. C. O'Connor was elected president; P. A. Perry, secretary, and A. McVicar, financial secretary. Plans for the formation of a baseball team were discussed, but definite action was deferred until the next meeting which will be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock in the rink. All members are requested to attend.

Games Tonight

Two basketball games will be played in the Y. M. C. A. this evening. The first contest will be between the Harriers and the West Side quintettes, and the second between the Pawness and the Dormitories. The Firesides-Old High School game has been postponed as members of the teams are away on a tour. Both games scheduled are expected to be keenly contested.

Herbert Tareyton London Cigarettes advertisement with image of a man and a woman, and text: 'There's something about them you'll like'.

ARE DEFEATED IN FINAL GAME BY CLOSE SCORE

Fans Thrilled In Match Which Was Won By Home Team

BATHURST, N. B., Feb. 25.—Sussex will meet Summerside in the second round of the play-off series for the Maritime amateur hockey title. The Dairy Kings, although beaten last night by Bathurst 7 to 6, totalled 14 goals in the two games, while the Papermakers answered 9, and won the right to meet the P. E. I. champions. The Bathurst win last night came after 60 minutes of rugged hockey, and 800 fans witnessed the clash. Sussex scored early in the first period, and both teams set a terrific pace, the frame ending with Bathurst on the long end of a 4 to 3 score. In the second period the game became much faster, and both LeClair and Finnegan, the respective goalies, were called upon to make numerous saves. However, Bathurst had the better of the territory play. Bathurst led 7 to 4 at one stage of the final period, but two goals by H. Radcliffe made the final tally read: Bathurst, 7; Sussex, 6.

Close Schools For Football

LONDON, Feb. 25.—They take their football seriously over here. The towns of Blackburn and Blackpool, whose association football teams are among the semi-finalists in the nation-wide cup competition, have ordered that the schools to be closed so that the children can attend the championship games.

PROVINCIAL MEET HAS MANY ENTRIES

Over 100 entries for the New Brunswick speed skating championships have been received and the programme is now in the hands of the printer. This important meet will take place in the Victoria rink on Thursday evening and the fans are promised a real night of sport. Included in the entries are Willie Logan, Bernard O'Connor, Roy Lawson, Edgar Snodgrass, of St. John, and Harry Smythe, of Moncton. Outside entries have also been received from Newcasttle and Bathurst. Chas. I. Gorman and Francis Logan will give exhibition races during the evening. Very little frost is required between now and Thursday night to put the fast Vic track in the best of condition. With everything favorable some long standing indoor records may be equalled or broken.

Los Angeles, Cal. Feb. 25.—Mickey Walker, world's welterweight champion, knocked out Bert Collins, Pacific Coast flash, in the seventh round of a scheduled 12-round no-decision bout here last night.

Big Event Of Season

Grand Carnival and Sports Combined At ARENA, March 9. Under Auspices of The Friemen and Civic Athletic Association. TICKETS 25c.

Wool has jumped up twenty per cent.

Wool has jumped up twenty per cent. and the best of English Serges and Worsted have had to follow suit. The more so as the dollar fails to buy so well since the English exchange has got close to normal. Almost any day the Triple C Tailors may have to jump up their prices. If you want to get in before the rise, order ahead by deposit. \$30 still remains a lot of money here. We are rounding out a successful year, operating on the idea that 35 tailors can band together and sell for far less, while holding to strictest quality. Come and pick over the widest selection of top rank cloth ever gotten together under one Maritime roof.

TRIPLE C TAILORS

N. B. Power Bldg. Tuesday and Thursday closed at six.



PREFERENCE IS DISCUSSED BY HON. DR. BAXTER

Conservatives, in Power, Would Clip Its Wings a Bit

SHIP COMBINE IS ALSO SUBJECT

Young Men's Conservative Club Here Addressed by Several Speakers.

Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., M. P., addressing the Young Men's Conservative Club in the Church of England Institute last night, scoffed at the idea of the Government subsidizing a line of steamships to be operated by Sir William Peterson...

C.G.I.T. Work Exemplified Well At Programme in Centenary

The C. G. I. T. groups of Centenary church gave an entertainment programme last night in demonstration of the ideals and the activities of the C. G. I. T. programme. A large audience was present and greatly appreciated the various numbers.

The pageant of confederation was presented with Jean McLaughlin taking the part of Canada and other parts being taken by Gretchen Morehouse, Lillian Thoms, Mabel Williams, Margaret Hayward, Annie McCavour, Edith Curll, Frances Elkin, Mary Sealy, Jean Jenkins and Betty Williams.

ed. If there was a combine, then the Canadian Government Merchant Marine was in it too, and their representatives had been seated around the table with the rest. He predicted that if the scheme went through then three years would see another failure for Sir William Peterson and his line of 10 steamships, which he did not believe he even had at the present moment.

Young Men Wanted. Dr. Baxter, at the outset, told the young men that they were wanted in the club to influence their friends to join, for it was from first association and then conviction that any became affiliated with any political party.

Husband and Wife Both Suffer From Gas

Both Have Bad Case of Gas on Stomach

"For six years I suffered from gas on the stomach, headache and dizziness. The first dose of Adlerika gave relief, and now I rest well at night and all the gas is gone. Adlerika has also made a new man of my husband." (Signed) Mrs. B. Brinkley.

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when "the MacKenzie King aggregation" came to the people, just as they did at that time. He asserted that the national policy of the Conservatives applied to all sections of Canada to the advantage of the whole, dealing at some length with the railway problem.

Col. Harrison Speaks. Ralph G. McInerney, president of the club, was in the chair and in opening the meeting which took the form of an informal smoker explained the origin of the Young Men's Conservative Club and the reasons for its organization. He then introduced Col. W. H. Harrison, president of the St. John Conservative executive. Col. Harrison, after showing how the club could be a great force during an election campaign, dealt at some length on the possibilities of the tourist business in this province urging the development of the business and also a strenuous campaign for the enforcement of the game laws.

N. B. IS LIKELY TO LOSE BRIDGE CASE APPEAL

Fact That C. P. R. Was Not Called Is Taken to Mean Province Defeated

PRIVY COUNCILLORS RESERVE JUDGMENT

Case Arose Over N. B. Claiming Right to Make C. P. R. Raise Bridge.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—The Privy Council today reserved judgment in the case of the Attorney-General of New Brunswick vs. the Canadian Pacific Railway, an action involving the question as to whether the right to regulate the navigation of the St. John River rests with the Dominion or with the province.

Appellant's Argument. The appellant, Hon. J. P. Byrne, former Attorney-General of New Brunswick, argued that the control of navigation on the St. John River rested with the province under the Ashburton Treaty between Great Britain and the United States. This measure stipulates that the navigation of the St. John River shall be free and open to both parties and shall in no way be obstructed by either.

these powers are vested in the Dominion under the British North America Act. The action arose over an obstruction to navigation, alleged to have been caused by the low level of a bridge constructed for the Canadian Pacific Railway transcontinental line at St. John, N. B.

WHITES OF EYES TINGED WITH YELLOW? MUDDY COMPLEXION? YOUR LIVER IS OUT OF ORDER!

Mrs. Wm. Bourque, Fox Creek, N. B., writes: "I have been troubled with my liver for a long time, and was so bad I could not do any work. I had green spots in my stomach that were so bad, at times, I could hardly stand them. My tongue became coated; I had a bad taste in my mouth, especially in the morning; the whites of my eyes were tinged with yellow, and I had a muddy and yellow complexion. I had read a great deal about

MILBURN'S Laxa-Liver Pills

so decided I would try a vial, and after taking three of them I was greatly improved and felt more like living, and I can now do my own work without any trouble."

Quebec Plans New Church Union Bill

QUEBEC, Feb. 24.—A new draft of the Church Union bill will be before the private bills committee of the Legislative Assembly when the subject is resumed. The new bill will have only one main clause, and that is to the effect that the Ottawa law is approved to all intents and purposes as far as the powers of the province apply.

THINK VICTIM CANADIAN.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 24.—The body of a man found in Elliott Bay here Sunday, has been identified as that of Charles McKnight, said to be a former roadmaster of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway in Canada. Efforts are being made to communicate with relatives.

IMPERIA "Turmoil" and "Peter Pan" (Both) at Matinee. Night Devoted to New Picture Exclusively. GRAND FESTIVAL OF PICTURES! 2 SHOWS TONIGHT. A truthless woman... a romance upset... a whirlwind, swirling catastrophe of life... diverting drama that will grip you. A Great Cast: GEORGE HACKATHORNE Eleanor Boardman Emmett Corrigan Theodore Von Eltz Victory Bateman Edward Hearn Pauline Garon Eileen Percy Winter Hall. The TURMOIL BOOTH TARKINGTON'S GREAT STORY OF AMERICAN LIFE. EXTRA! "Peter Pan" Today at 3.45 Following the Showing of "Turmoil" - A Big Double Matinee Bill. "Peter Pan" Again Thursday Afternoon at 3.45 But Not in Evening. CONCERT Between Shows Special Orchestral Programme. Overture—Princess Jaume... Saint Sacs/Strings—Angel Gabriel—Old Plantation Songs... Pochon La Gondola—A Serenade... Friml Dance Number—Marchita... Scherzinger. Usual Prices ABOUT "PETER PAN" Note specially the special showing for school children today and tomorrow at 3.45. Usual Prices

CHARGE ABDUCTION

London, Eng., Man Arrested With Montreal Girl, Missing Since Friday Last.

Canadian Press Despatch. MONTREAL, Feb. 24.—A few days after her picture had been published in a local paper, and her inexplicable disappearance from the home of her father here broadcast by radio, and in a newspaper, Amy Cowan, 15 years old, daughter of Robert Cowan, 3150 Hutchison street, was found last night at the home of A. Snow, postmaster of Deseronto, suffering from the hardships she endured while walking to the place. With her was a man who gave the name of William H. Hue, reported to be of London, England. He was placed under arrest and brought to Montreal, charged with abduction.

SAYS PEACE HIS AIM

New Secretary of Fascisti Intends to Follow Mussolini Policy.

Canadian Press Despatch. ROME, Feb. 24.—Upon assuming his new position as secretary-general of the Fascist party Roberto Farinacci today issued a manifesto to all Fascists of Italy, declaring he was "determined to follow the programme of Premier Mussolini at all costs, strive to avoid violence and give the state those laws and institutions demanded by the new situation."

BREAKS ANKLE

MINTO, Feb. 24.—George W. Gunter, head of the firm of Gunter Brothers, general merchants here, suffered a broken ankle last evening when he slipped and fell on an icy walk between his home and store. Dr. Hay was called from Chipman and found Mr. Gunter's right ankle fractured.

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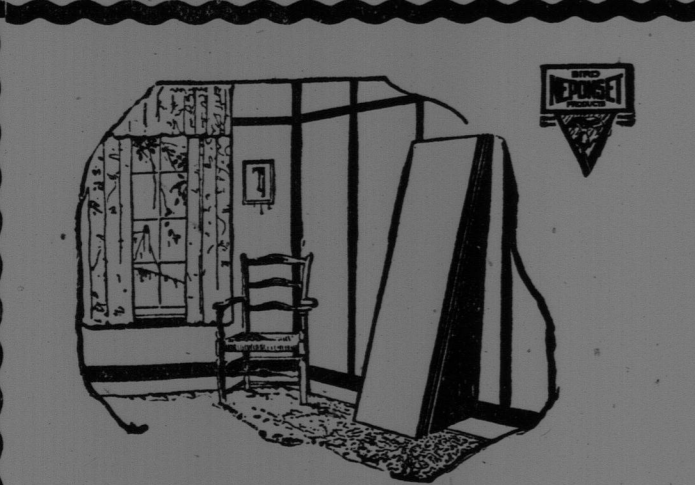
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Recognition of Act of Margaret Davis in North End Fire

FARM MORTGAGE FAMILY OBSTACLE

Hoped Something Will Be Worked Out to Bring Comfort.

The action of young Margaret Davis in leading her six little brothers and sisters from their burning home on North End to safety last week has been the subject of much favorable comment by citizens and that some recognition be taken of her deed is suggested. Here is the situation in this homeless family finds itself in today, according to a correspondent of The Times-Star:

Mother's Efforts. "In Queens county the family owns a little farm which is mortgaged to the extent of \$400. A bill of sale was threatening. To have stayed there would have been to live in fear of being turned out so Mrs. Davis gathered her seven children, five of them under four and one half years, and came to the city to see if by working out she could free herself of this burden and provide a home assistance had been supplied by friends. Not only had she helped herself along but she had on one occasion paid for the schooling of a youngster's boots so that he could attend school. "On Friday night last, a crushing blow fell on this brave little woman. Returning from a hard day's work, she found her house in flames and her little ones in danger. Her children were not allowed to remain in the street, through the kindness of friends, and a flat was found for her at once. The Red Cross and the Associated Charities have helped. The little woman sprained an ankle on the night of the fire.

Give Girl Chance "What of the future," the correspondent asks, "At present, Margaret Davis is deprived of the privilege of attending school, as she cares for the family while the mother is working. If the mortgage on that farm were paid off and the property made over in trust, many of the difficulties of the little family would be removed and the brave young girl who stuck to her post when danger threatened helpless little tots would be given a chance in life."

Funerals

Mrs. Mary F. Hoyt. The funeral of Mrs. Mary F. Hoyt, of Fairville, this afternoon, was largely attended with service at her own residence later at the Church of the Good Shepherd, conducted by Rev. F. J. LeRoy, rector. The service was held at 2 o'clock. The deceased was 85 years of age. Mrs. Hoyt had kept her clear mentality and was conversant with the affairs of the day, being especially interested in religious, political and scientific affairs. The infirmities of age, with deafness, kept her confined to the house but her friends sought her out and made life bright for Mrs. Hoyt, whose home was always one of hospitality, especially for those in need of comfort. She had no children of her own but left three, whom she mothered, who mourn her deeply, Mrs. Crompton, wife of Dr. Ernest Crompton, of London, England; Mrs. Hansen, wife of Dr. Nels Hansen, of Portland, Me., and Miss Mary Hoyt, of Fairville, a niece, with whom Mrs. Hoyt resided. Miss Florence Hoyt, of the Travellers Aid, is also a niece. Her life was full of service for others, and was sweet with friendships as it declined.

Fred Hoyt, of Washington, who came here to attend the funeral of his brother, Edward Hoyt, was also present at the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Mary F. Hoyt. Others here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hoyt were Mrs. E. Y. Lamont, of Roxbury, Mass., and Mrs. J. H. Carvell, of Dorchester, Mass. They will remain for a few days, visiting friends.

Patrick Marry. The funeral of Patrick Marry, 47 Douglas avenue, was held this morning from his late residence to St. Peter's church, where solemn high mass was requiem was celebrated by Rev. Edward Mehan, C. S. R. Rev. Timothy O'Sullivan, C. S. R., was deacon; Rev. F. Mullins, C. S. R., sub-deacon, and Rev. Charles McCormick, C. S. R., was in the sanctuary. The funeral was attended by many, and there were very many spiritual and floral offerings. Relatives were pall-bearers. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

Daniel Logue. The funeral of Daniel Logue was held this morning from his late residence, 160 Rockland road, with requiem high mass at Holy Trinity, celebrated by Rev. Joseph Ward. Relatives were pall-bearers. There were very many spiritual and floral offerings, including a large wreath from the Woolworth company manager and staff. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Margaret A. Gallant. The funeral of Mrs. Margaret A. Gallant was held from her late residence, 55 Portland street to Cedar Hill cemetery. Rev. H. A. Godwin conducted service this afternoon at the house. Beautiful wreaths were sent.

GETTING ON WELL. Friends of John J. Foot will be glad to learn that he is recovering from his very serious illness at the General Public Hospital, where he is now convalescing. He is permitted to receive visitors, and wishes to thank all those who so kindly remembered him during his sickness. Dr. Malcolm believes that complete recovery is now only a question of time.

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, FEB. 25.

Table with 4 columns: Time, A.M., High Tide, P.M., Low Tide, Sun Sets.

Local News

DAUGHTER LIVES HERE.

The death of Benjamin Grover of Charlott's Cove, N. S., took place on Feb. 18 at his home. He left, besides his wife, two sons and eight daughters, of whom Mrs. Annie Murphy of 7 Clarence street is one. The funeral was held on Friday, Feb. 20, from his late residence. Mrs. Murphy received by letter word of her bereavement this morning.

PREPARE FOR DEBATE.

The two teams of the Y. M. C. A. to participate in a general debating contest here next week held a lively rehearsal last evening in their residence on Chipman Hill. The boys are getting their points well arranged, one team for the affirmative, which will go out to other places, debate, and negative, which will remain in its own building to meet a visiting team for the affirmative. Great interest is being manifested by the Y. M. C. A. boys.

BEACON LIGHT CLASS.

The Beacon Light Class met last evening at the home of Miss Edith Kierstead, Main street, Fairville, with the president, Mrs. W. E. Hamm, in the chair. There was good attendance. Mrs. James Ryder, who spent the winter abroad, was warmly welcomed back to the class gathering. Mrs. G. McAuley of Jacquet River was the guest of the evening. Dainty refreshments were served by Miss Kierstead, assisted by Miss Marguerite Henderson.

BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCES.

Mrs. Joseph Thompson of 247 Rodney street, West St. John, was reminded that a new year was beginning for her yesterday, when her friends gave her many tokens for her birthday. They surprised her in the evening by calling at the house. Her son-in-law during the evening presented to her a nice sum of money. The guests enjoyed cards and a delicious supper. Five tables of bridge were played and a happy time spent with many good wishes extended to Mrs. Thompson, who, in a pretty speech, thanked her friends for their thought of her.

ELKS ENJOY EVENING.

The Elks and their ladies had a very enjoyable basket social and dance last evening at Glen Falls hall, which was decorated for the occasion with evergreen, pine, cedar and spruce boughs. Upwards of fifty were in attendance and a very enjoyable evening was spent, returning at midnight. The arrangements of the affair was in the hands of James Scott, E. A. Whitebone, Walter Pedersen and Leslie McLean. Cyril Driscoll, presided at the piano. Mrs. C. A. Price and Mrs. G. Fred Flewelling of Oak Point, acted as chaperons.

SEWING AND SOCIAL.

Roxborough Lodge Sewing Circle met last evening at the home of Mrs. James Donner, Clifton street, West St. John. Patchwork for quilts was put together, and a pleasant social time was enjoyed. Dinner was served in the evening refreshments by Mrs. R. Wilson and Mrs. G. Campbell. The next meeting of the circle will be held at the home of Mrs. Clifford Priddy, Rodney street, West St. John, on next Tuesday evening. Those present last evening were Mrs. A. Evans, Mrs. W. B. Nice, Mrs. R. Wilson, Mrs. M. Williams, Mrs. R. Scaring, Mrs. F. Law, Mrs. A. Clarke, Mrs. William Robson, Mrs. H. Robson, Mrs. George Merryweather, Mrs. J. Taylor, Mrs. C. Coey, Mrs. B. Peet, Mrs. C. Coey, Mrs. D. Donner, Mrs. Vernon Pitt, Mrs. C. Campbell and Mrs. J. Blizard.

PORTLAND GRAIN SHIPMENTS ARE LESS

January Figures Show a Large Decline From Amount in First 1924 Month.

According to figures in the last issue of the New York Maritime Register, the amount of grain shipped through the Port of Portland, Me., in January, 1925, was not nearly so large as in the same month of 1924. The amount of grain received at Portland in January, 1924 and 1925 was as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Grain Type, 1924, 1925. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, Barley, Rye.

BIRTHDAY SOCIAL

Carleton Methodist Even in School Room Proves Very Pleasing.

The Carleton Methodist church held a birthday social last evening in the school room of the church with a capacity attendance to hear an excellent program, planned and arranged by Mrs. F. T. Bertram, wife of the pastor of the church. The refreshments were in charge of the Ladies Aid. The money raised will be used for the repair fund of the church. The program consisted of vocal solos by Miss Olive Kingston, Miss Mary Henderson, Mrs. Ernest Bissett, Mrs. J. Shonyo, Roland Belyea, Miss Helen Henderson, vocal duet, Mrs. William Lord and Miss Rose Nelles violin solo, Mrs. E. B. Ayer, accompanied by her sister, Miss Ada Thompson; readings by Miss Eva Adams and Miss M. Fanjoy; piano solo, Miss Muriel Purdy and a game called "Biblical Symbols" Contests for everybody were enjoyed after the formal programme was concluded. Miss Lella Alcorn was accompanist for one of the numbers.

ASKED TO FORCE EXTENSION OF STREET CAR LINE

Utilities Board Receives Request from Residents of Simonds

WANT SERVICE OUT TO LITTLE RIVER

Hearing Is To Be Held—Up River Power Matters Presented.

At the monthly meeting of the Board of Public Utilities of New Brunswick this morning, with chairman J. M. Trueman presiding and Messrs T. G. Burpee, F. Y. LeBlanc present, only one local matter was before the board, that of an application from residents of Simonds for an order to compel the Brunswick Power Company to extend its rails to Little River. Councillor Dalsell acted as spokesman for the delegation which presented the request. He said that in the original agreement with the Power Company they were to extend the line to Little River by the end of 1918, that early in 1918 an order was secured extending this time to one year after the close of the war but that the railway had been extended only to the dry dock.

About 500 Yards.

They ask now that the system be extended about 500 yards to serve the Little River community. It was said that about 200 families would benefit.

The board took the matter under consideration and intimated that a hearing would be held at which all parties would be given an opportunity to be heard.

Up River Power Rates.

Col. W. H. Harrison, K. C., on behalf of the New Brunswick and Maine Power Company, asked that the hearing in the matter of rates charged by the Woodstock, Carleton and New Brunswick and Maine Power Companies be adjourned for two weeks. Board granted adjournment but did not name a date.

M. L. Hayward, K. C., Hartland, representing C. W. Lewis, argued the question of the board's jurisdiction on an application of Mr. Lewis to compel the distributors of electric light and power in Perth and Andover to supply him with light and power. Mr. Lewis has had this application before both the Supreme Court of New Brunswick and the Supreme Court of Canada, both deciding against him. The latter body, however, directed Mr. Lewis to exhaust all his remedies by applying to the Board of Public Utilities and the application of today was to clear the way for further proceedings if the board rules that it has no jurisdiction in the matter.

IN CHARGE AT BANK

Eric F. MacNeill, Formerly of St. John, at Bank of Nova Scotia Here.

Eric F. MacNeill, who has been appointed acting supervisor of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Maritime Province branches, has arrived in the city from Halifax to take over the duties of R. H. Anderson, who has been granted leave of absence. Mr. MacNeill is a former St. John man, being a son of the late Rev. L. G. MacNeill, for many years pastor of St. Andrew's church, and up to 1907 was attached to the branch of the bank here. Since that time he has been in charge of the bank's branches at Lethbridge, Alta., Regina, Sask., Victoria, British Columbia, and for the last five years manager of the main office in Halifax.

ANGLICAN HOSPITAL AID.

St. George's Anglican church, West St. John, has reorganized its branch of the Women's Hospital Aid and is planning a vigorous campaign for members. Mrs. M. A. Anderson has been made president of the branch. In the Parish of the Good Shepherd, Mrs. A. O. Patrich has been made president, and a good reorganization of that branch is going forward. The Anglican churches which have been giving valuable assistance in the Hospital Aid are greatly cheered by the joining of the others who have come in to strengthen their good efforts.

Hiram on Tour

VANCOUVER, Feb. 14.—I had a long talk yesterday with Dave Long. He's been a preacher for a long spell, an' a good one—but I always think of him as my old friend Dave. Well, sir—his past the Scriptural three score years an' ten, but he's as lively as a 'be—'n' he haint fergot the old times an' the folk folks down east. A feller told me yesterday, cheered by the joining of seven teen thousand folks from New Brunswick right here in what they call Greater Vancouver—so they haint all gone to the States. Say—we been buildin' up every place but New Brunswick—and we couldn't build it up because we couldn't fight jagoffy an' the fact'ries of the upper provinces. General Odium—he's a fine feller—he says to me today, says he: "Hiram—some-thin's got to be done to make you folks prosperous an' happy down there—an' keep your boys an' gals home to build up their own part of the country." Now that's real horse-sense. HIRAM

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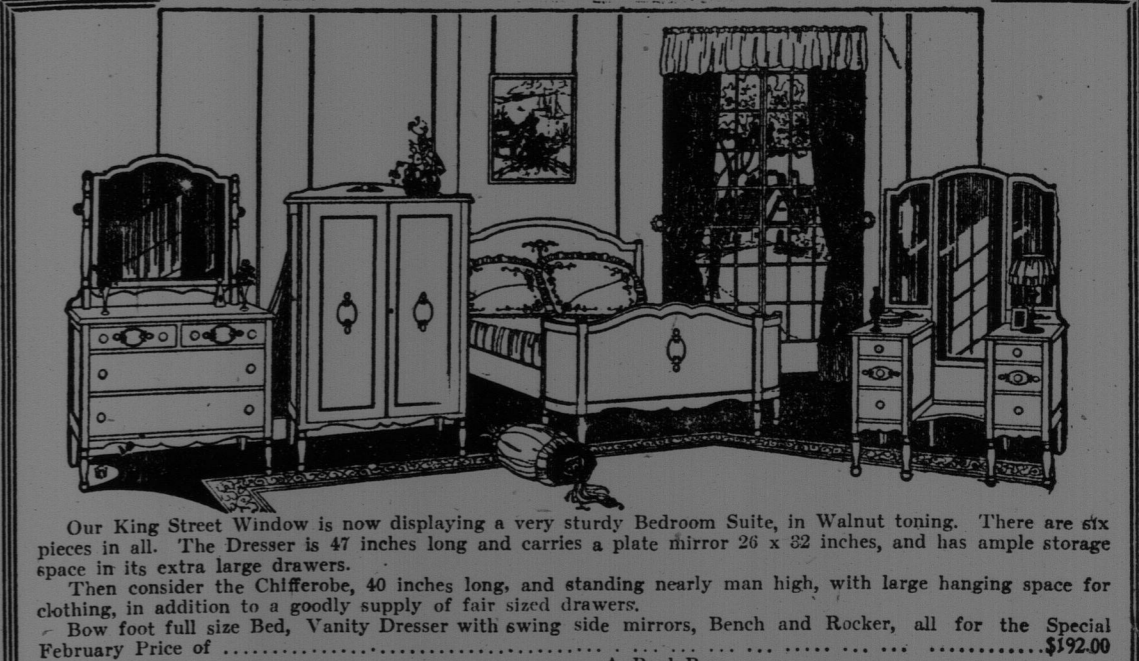
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